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PLOTS UNCOVERED

CONSPIRACIES TO KILL THE CZAR ARE LEARNED.

NICHOLAS' NARROW ESCAPE

JOURNEY TO A BALL TO HAVE BEEN HIS DEATH.

PLOTTERS WERE ARRESTED

SECOND PLOT REVEALED MAN WITH A BOMB.

Berlin, March 20.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tagblatt says he has learned of two separate conspiracies to assassinate the czar. The first attempt was planned to be made on the occasion of the jubilee ball of the naval cadet corps, which the czar had promised to attend. His majesty was ready to start and was awaiting his carriage when Governor General Kleigles arrived at the palace and informed him that he must not go, several suspicious persons belonigng to the revolutionary party having been arrested at the Nicolai bridge with arms and forged passports. He informed his majesty that the prisoners were probably emissaries of the central nihilist committee at Zurich. The visit was accordingly abandoned.

The second affair occurred in the middle of January, when the czar, accompanied by his mother, visited the Ceramatic exhibition. When entering one of the rooms the members of the committee, who were escorting the imperial party, suddenly noticed an unknown man hurriedly approaching the czar. As the public had been excluded and those authorized to attend has been carefully selected, the presence of the stranger excited suspicion. Several of the czar's party hastened to meet him to lead him away.

Thereupon the man suspiciously thrust his hand in a pocket. He was instantly seized. When he was searched a bomb was found in his pocket.

ADJOURNED UNTIL SATURDAY.

There was but a small attendance at the meeting of farmers at the city hall this afternoon to consider the proposition of the Continental Sugar company, of Cleveland, regarding the cultivation of sugar beets in Allen county. President Alexander Johnson, of the county agricultural association, presided, and explained the offer of the company to pay $3.75 per ton for the beets weighed here. Farmers present were then called upon to pledge tracts for the cultivation of this crop, and about sixty acres were so pledged. Two hundred acres is the minimum required, and the meeting adjourned until Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

An affidavit was filed in Huser's court today against Charles Parent, living near Robison park, charging him with selling liquor without a license.

Bertha Chapman, of Perry township, files an affidavit against her father, Solomon Chapman, charging him with assault and battery. Justice Huser will hear the case.

Justice Bullerman this morning performed the marriage ceremony for Charles H. Glessner and Rosetta E. Kemp.

WAS ANOTHER OF SAME NAME.

The Peter Neuman who was arrested a day or two ago for participation in a fight was not Peter Neuman, of 44 West Leith street. The latter is employed at the Fort Wayne electric works and is a young man of good reputation.

SUICIDE OF A TENOR.

St. Louis, Mo., March 20.—H. Charles Humphreys, tenor singer, leader of the choir at the Second Baptist church and a well known society man, committed suicide in his studio today. The cause for the act is unknown. The revolver with which the fatal shot was fired lay beside the body, which had fallen in front of the piano. Mr. Humphreys, who was 32 years old, was well known in musical circles throughout the country as an oratorio singer.

BLIZZARD IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

St. John's, N. F., March 20.-A furious blizzard has been sweeping the whole seaboard since last night. This morning the sealer Southern Cross, which arrived here yesterday, was forced into the harbor of Perlican in danger of swamping on account of the heavy load of 26,500 seals on board. Much anxiety is felt for the remainder of the sealing fleet, which must have felt the full fury of the gale. In such event, with over 400 men scattered about the ice fields, disaster might ensue, as only too frequently happens. The anxiety will not be relieved until another steamer arrives with later reports.

HOTEL IS BURNED.

Kenova, W. Va., March 20.—The Grand hotel, owned by Wright Bros., was burned early today. All the guests escaped uninjured. Loss, $40,000; partially insured. The saw and planing mills of Davis & Lenon were burned a few hours earlier, entailing a loss of $50,000, with no insurance.

FROM COMMISSIONER TAFT

REPORTS ENCOURAGING PROGRESS IN PHILIPPINES.

Many Provinces Have Been Organized for Civil Government—People Are Enthusiastic.

Washington, March 20.—Secretary of War Root today received the following cablegram from Judge Taft, chairman of the Taft commission in the Philippines, dated Iloilo.

"Have organized Taybasa, Roblom, including Cablas, Sibuan and smaller islands and Masbate, including Tiaco and Buri. I visited Marinduque, initiated organization of municipalities there and will organize province before returning. Receptions most enthusiastic. After visiting Negros shall go to Jolo and Mindanao; returning shall organize Iloilo, Capiz, Antique, Cebu, Bohol and Leyte.

"Shall probably organize Zamboanga and Misamis. Marked improvement in general situation."

COMMISSION AT ILOILO.

Iloilo, Island of Panay, March 19.—The Philippines commission was welcomed on its arrival here by General Hughes and his staff, and cadres were duly organized by the federalists and a gathering of citizens.

Iloilo province is prepared for organization and the other provinces, it is believed, will be ready by the time the commission returns from the south. Panay is nearly pacified.

The commission then formally examined the position of Panay and tomorrow the members will proceed to Negros, where they will remain three days.

NEW PROVINCE FORMED.

Iloilo, Island of Panay, March 20.—(By mail from Palanog, Island of Masbate, March 18.)—The islands of Masbate, Ticao and Burias, with a population of forty thousand, were today constituted the province of Masbate.

Masbate Island has been impoverished by the rinderpest, which has killed the cattle, the raising of which is almost the sole industry of the inhabitants. The people welcome the idea of a civil government and promise to extend their timber and agricultural operations.

For reasons of economy the commission has decided upon no salaries for the provincial officials. Senor Serrano, a native, has been appointed governor of the province; George Landres, a New York soldier, supervisor, and Lieutenant Snyder, of the Twenty-seventh infantry, treasurer. The duties of the fiscal of Romblon will be extended to the Masbate province.

Arrangements have been made for the establishment of schools, of which there have heretofore been practically none in the province.

The ladrones are the only insurrectionists remaining in Masbate.

TENNESSEE TOWN BURNS.

Nashville, Tenn., March 20.—Tiptonville, Lake county, was partially destroyed by fire during the night. Loss estimated at $75,000; partially insured.

NEW JERSEY APPORTIONMENT.

Trenton, N. J., March 20.—Governor Voorhees today signed a bill dividing New Jersey in ten congressional districts.

A few members of the C. C. C. club and their gentlemen friends reminded Merlin Kanaga of his seventeenth birthday last evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

A CLASH AT ARMS

REPORTED BETWEEN BRITISH AND RUSSIANS.

IS DISCOUNTED IN LONDON

DOUBT THAT A FIGHT HAS OCCURRED IN CHINA.

RUSSIA MOBILIZES FLEET

WARSHIPS BEING HURRIED TO KOREA.

London, March 20.—4:50 p. m.—The officials of the foreign office here have received no information of an outbreak of Russian-British hostilities at Tien Tsin. Their latest advices thence say the position remains the same.

The rumor (credited by a news agency to the London stock exchange and published in New York) that the British and Russians had fired at each other at Tien Tsin has not even reached the leading stock exchange firms, nor have any declines occurred, which the circulation of such a rumor would create.

RUSSIA MOBILIZING FLEET

Shanghai, March 20.—A dispatch to the China Gazette from Tokio, March 20, says that all the Russian warships in Japanese waters have sailed for Korea, and the Russian squadron is mobilizing for an immediate departure to the Korean coast.

RUSSIA IS FIRM.

New York, March 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Tien Tsin says

Count Von Waldersee while here yesterday had long and separate conversations with the Russian and English commanding generals. He orally renewed the proposition which had been made by telegraph and which the Russians had declined to entertain.

General Wogack declined to discuss the question of ownership until the British had withdrawn from the ground claimed by Russia and occupied by his forces.

General Campbell stated that under his instructions he could not withdraw from the position.

The deadlock, therefore, continues. Count Von Waldersee is visibly depressed at the failure to arrange the question, the seriousness of which he seemed fully to realize. After an hour he returned to Pekin.

There has been much fighting during the day between French and English soldiers, but up to the present there have been no serious results.

General Voyron has ordered out gendarmes, who, together with the Australians, are now guarding the settlement and preventing French soldiers from entering.

General Campbell has received the approval of the government in his view of the dispute with the Russian commander here and is holding his ground under orders from London.

Count Von Waldersee's proposal, which General Wogack declined to entertain, was that the disputed territory be turned over to a neutral guard, the British and Russians simultaneously withdrawing, pending legal investigation of the questions involved.

British officers maintain that if, as is rumored, Russian troops are being hurried to Tien Tsin from Port Arthur, the British government will regard their arrival as a hostile movement on the part of Russia.

GEN. WOGACK'S STATEMENT.

General Wogack has made the following statement of the Russian position for the Herald:

"The question over which we unhappily are at odds is not whether the disdputed ground belongs to us or to the Chinese government, or to the railway company, but whether the English will make good their trespass.

"At the time the British attempted to take possession the ground was protected by Russian flags and a clearly delimited boundary of stone. These flags were overturned and thrown away by a working party of Bengal pioneers and coolies, who went on with their work until driven off by our guards.

"Before we can discuss the question of ownership the British, who are still to some extent on our ground, must withdraw. Once the British have withdrawn I am sure the Russian imperial government will ignore all previous regrettable violence and listen in a most friendly spirit to whatever the British government may have to say regarding the definite possession of the disputed territory.

"No sane person can for an instant doubt that had the English requested permission to build a switch or side track on our ground it would have been immediately granted.

"Unfortunately, however, they sought their ends by forcible means. The British troops must be withdrawn from Russian territory. There can be no other settlement."

VON WALDERSEE HOLDS ALOOF.

Tien Tsin, March 20.—A dust storm prevented Count Von Waldersee, who arrived here yesterday from Peig for Pekin, until this morning. General Lorne Campbell, the English commander, and General Wogack, commanding the Russians, met Count Von Waldersee upon his arrival here. Learning that both had received instructions from their governments, Count Von Waldersee said it was useless for him to give even an opinion regarding the matters at issue.

It is the general feeling in Tien Tsin that trouble is not likely to reach a point where blood will be shed.

Both detachments on guard have orders to do nothing aggressive unless forced to do so by the other. Except the army and camp followers the only Russians now residing here are the members of the consular staff, two clerks and two Jews, who are running stores, and who left Russia in order to save their lives.

These are now being offered inducements to move to the Russian concession.

The French concession is quiet. French gendarmes are on duty at the British concession to prevent the soldiers from trespassing and Australian naval brigade men are preventing the sikhs from invading the French concessions.

Ninety British marines arrived here last night from the Taku forts to replace the Indian guards on the disputed land. The fusiliers are expected today.

A special train bearing re-enforcements of Australian troops left Pekin for Tien Tsin at 10 o'clock this morning.

One French, an Italian and a German warship are outside the bar

General Lorne Campbell upon hearing of the death of ex-President Harrison ordered all the British flags to be flown at half-mast.

THOMPSON IS NOT ELECTED

CURIOUS RESULT IN FIGHT FOR SENATORSHIP.

Nebraska Republicans Make Him a Caucus Choice, But Did Not Go Far Enough.

Lincoln, Neb., March 20.—D. E. Thompson, of Lincoln, who was last night nominated for United States senator for the short term by the republican caucus, failed of election in the joint session of the house and senate today

The caucus, under the rules of which Thompson was nominated, adjourned without nominating a candidate for the long term, thereby invalidating the nomination it already had made. The caucus call is that both senators should be nominated at the same session. Another caucus will be held this evening. In spite of this, today's ballot showed considerable change. Rosewater had nearly twice the number of votes previously polled and D. E. Thompson reached his high mark.

The ballot: Allen, 54; W. H. Thompson (fusion)' 42; Hitchcock, 14; Hinshaw, 8; D. E. Thompson, 56; Rosewater, 29; Meikeljohn, 20; Crounse, 10; scattering, 5; necessary to choice, 63.

PILFERING OF MAILS.

Washington, March 20.—Director General of Posts Cotterman, of the Philippines, has reported to the post office department that within the past few months a great many complaints have been received at Manila indicating pilfering of the mails. Most of the mail dispatched from the Philippines, as well as that received, originates at army posts, where there is no regular post office. Much of this mail is carried between the army posts and the nearest post office in tie sacks on pack trains. The report goes into detail regarding the necessity for imprints on the wax seals of mail sacks as recommended by the director general in a report received yesterday.

TAKES DARK VIEW

WESTMINSTER GAZETTE ON BOTHA'S REFUSAL TO

SURRENDER TO KITCHENER

CONNECTS REFUSAL WITH THE TROUBLE IN CHINA.

THE BOER WAR NOT YET OVER

BOERS SHOT BY THE BRITISH FOR TREASON.

London, March 20.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon makes pessimistic comment on General Botha's refusal to accept the peace terms offered by Lord Kitchener, and connects this refusal with the situation in China.

The Gazette says the powers are at sixes and sevens in the far east and that any day may see the commencemetn of a struggle from which the Boers may recover their own.

The failure of those peace negotiations means that the military position in South Africa is not yet decisive.

SHOT FOR TREASON.

Cape Town, March 20.—J. P. Minaber, S. Minaber and J. A. Neuwoudt were shot at DeAar last evening for treason and murder in pursuance of the sentence of a court martial. The death sentence was passed a week ago, in connection with the wrecking of a train near Taasbosch, by which five men were killed. General Kitchener confirmed the verdict. The garrison was paraded and the prisoners were led out at sunset. Death was instantaneous. A Dutch minister and relatives remained with the prisoners till the end. Two others concerned in the train wrecking were sentenced to five years at penal servitude.

IN POLICE CIRCLES.

Business continues good at the city hall in police circles. The number of arrests was not so large last night but the victims were judiciously selected and all produced the ready cash to mollify outraged society and justice. The police this time called at the emporium presided over by Lillian Frey, at No. 9 Harrison street, and gathered in two men and two women. Miss Lillian put up $21 and the balance put up $16 each. All this was swallowed by the pleas of guilty entered at court. There are still a few places left which have not made their semi-occasional settlement, but the turn of most of them will probably come soon. The Clinton-Superior street joint will probably be exempted as usual.

Superintendent Gorsline is in receipt of a letter from Evansville giving the description of a smooth swindler who operated the palmist-clairvoyant racket to the tune of $5,000 at that place. His method was similar to that of Professor Wentworth and lady, who fleeced a couple girls out of $50 and some diamonds in this city recently.

Joseph Hays, a half-demented fellow who belongs at the poor farm, was picked up by the police last night. The officers at the county infirmary were notified and they came to town and claimed him this morning. He was arrested several weeks ago and let go.

LIBEL CASES ON TRIAL.

London, March 20.—The libel actions brought before the Star and Morning Leader by Arthur Chamberlain, the son of Joseph Chamberlain, and Angville Chamberlain, a son of Arthur Chamberlain, in connection with war office contracts, was begun today in the king's bench court before the lord chief justice, Lord Alverstone. The plaintiffs claim damages for serious attacks on their commercial integrity, including the statement that they have stooped to improper means in order to obtain contracts against the interests of the public service. The defendants pleaded that their articles did not libel the plaintiffs and were fair comment on matters of public interest. The case of Arthur Chamberlain was first taken up.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

Oberlin, Ohio, March 20.—Robbers early today blew open the safe in the postoffice here and escaped with everything of value. A young man who slept in the building was found this morning lying on the floor of the office bound and gagged. He is unconscious and it is believed was drugged by the cracksmen. The amount taken will not be known until the postoffice inspector arrives. There is no clew to the identity of the robbers.

ILLITERACY BILL PASSES.

Annapolis, Md., March 20.—The new election bill, having for its object the practical disfranchisement of most of the 50,000 illiterate voters of the state, passed the senate shortly after midday. It was immediately sent to the house, where all the amendments made by the senate were concurred in, and the bill passed. It is now ready for the governor's signature

THE ABBOTT HAS BEEN SOLD

WORLD'S CHAMPION TROTTER BRINGS $40,000.

Purchase is Conditional on Match Made for a Race With Baralma for $25,000 a Side.

New York, March 20.—The sale of the world's champion trotter, The Abbott, 2:03¼, for $40,000, to Fred Gherken, has been practically completed, according to the Times.

The purchase, however, is conditional. One stipulation on which hangs the transfer of the fastest trotter in the world is that the match which Mr Lawson has challenged for must be made before The Abbott is removed from the stable of his present owner, Fire Commissioner John J. Scannell.

Mr. Gherken and Mr. Scannell are thoroughly in earnest in the matter and the former's check for $40,000 was written ready to be paid to The Abbott's owner as soon as the match race with Boralma was made.

As one of Mr. Gherken's assistant ants said last night, Mr. Gherken had made a sportsman's proposition and had agreed to play The Abbot for a big price on the chance of winning back a great share of the purchase price on the match race. His plan calls for him to risk $65,000 in the cost of the horse and the amount of the bets. The Abbott is to be trained for the match by Trainer Ed Geers, who developed the horse for the Hamlins, of the Village farm.

A. W. WISHARD REAPPOINTED

AGAIN MADE FEDERAL ATTORNEY FOR INDIANA.

Henry C. Pettit, of Wabash, Appointed United States Marshal for Indiana District.

Washington, March 20.—Albert W. Wishard, of Indianapolis, was today reappointed by the president to be United States district attorney for Indiana. Mr. Wishard has held the office for four years.

The president today also appointed Henry C. Pettit, of Wabash, to be United States marshal for the district of Indiana, to succeed Samuel C. Kircheval.

A COURTLY FUNCTION.

Paris, March 20.—The minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, gave a luncheon today in honor of Earl Carlington and the other members of the British mission appointed by King Edward to announce officially to the French government and to other governments the deaths of Queen Victoria and his majesty's accession to the throne. The British ambassador, Sir Edmund J. Monson, and the staff of the British embassy, the representatives of France at the queen's funeral, and the officials of the foreign officers were present.

TWICE ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Elwood, Ind., March 20.—Grief over slights received from other young people in the neighborhood induced Rebecca Locke, eighteen years old, to attempt suicide last Saturday by taking carbolic acid, but her mother interfered in time to save her life. Yesterday she procured morphine and swallowed it, and at this hour her condition is serious.

FATHER JUST MEETS DEATH.

Laporte, Ind., March 0.—Information has been received of the death at Austin, Tex., of Rev. Father Just, formerly of St. Mary's church, Michigan City, and a well-known priest of the Fort Wayne diocese. The death was accidental, caused by a fall in which his neck was broken.

GLAD TO GIVE UP

MUTINOUS KANSAS CONVICTS YIELD TO GUARDS.

WERE ROUNDED UP IN MINE

DETAINED KEEPERS SENT TO THE SURFACE.

CONVICTS WERE FAMISHED

TWO WERE WOUNDED BY STRAY SHOTS IN MINE.

Leavenworth, Kas., March 20.—Two convicts of the Lansing penitentiary were wounded last night by the guards who went down into the penitentiary mine to subdue 284 prisoners who entered the colliery Monday and refused to come out until their demands for better food were granted.

All the convicts were run down in various parts of the workings by a heavy detail of guards, who descended the shaft shortly before midnight. A volley was fired when the bottom was reached, with the intention of intimidating the mutineers. It is supposed that stray bullets hit two of the convicts. Neither was seriously hurt, however, and the volley effectually subdued the others, who were almost famished and apparently glad to get off so easily.

They scattered through the workings, leaving the fifteen guards whom they had overpowered and held as hostages. The latter were quickly hoisted to the surface and the work of rounding up the convicts began. Fast as they were caught they were taken up and before morning all were securely locked in their cells at the penitentiary.

They had been practically without food for twenty-four hours and at daybreak were given only a cup of coffee and a few slices of bread.

Warden Tomlinson announces that he will severely punish the leaders.

The wounded men are Ralph Clark, under a twenty-year sentence for highway robbery, who will lose an arm, and Alfred Hatfield, serving ten years for manslaughter. Hatfield received a flesh wound in the leg.

CONTRACTS FOR TOWERS.

Kendallville, Ind., March 20.—The Flint and Walling Manufacturing company, of this city, manufacturers of the Star windmill, will erect the tower at the entrance of the government building at the Pan-American exposition. The tower will be 180 feet high. The Flint and Walling company has the contract for erecting all government towers.

WILL RETIRE FROM MINISTRY.

Richmond, Ind, March 20.—Rev. W. E. McCarty, pastor of the Third M. E. church, this city, will retire from the ministry at the coming session of the North Indiana conference. He has been actively engaged in the ministry for forty years, and is now about seventy years old.

LOCAL LINES.

The Ladies' Aid society of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robertson, 21 Pine street.

Rev. J. Webster Bailey will address the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon from a passage of the book of Esther, and requests those who will attend to make a study of the book.

Great preparations are being made by the ladies of No. 2, Degree of Honor, for their supper and carnival Saturday evening. The ladies will have booths, where aprons and fancy work will be displayed in great variety. The carnival will be held at Maccabee hall, 107 Calhoun street.

Word was received in this city of the death of John H. Stein, a soldier of the Fourteenth United States infantry, now stationed at Manila. Inquiry made today of the war department in Washington elicits the information that up to a few days ago the young man was all right. His parents reside in Fort Wayne.

A pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Joe A. Orr, 130 Mechanic street, last evening, the occasion being Mr. Orr's thirty-fourth birthday anniversary. A large number of his friends were there and a number of valuable presents were bestowed. Cards and music furnished enjoyment and at midnight luncheon was served.

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ANCER

rers from this horrible malady always inherit it—not necessarily he parents, but may be from some ancestor, for Cancer often runs n several generations. This deadly may lay dormant in the blood for or until you reach middle life, then st little sore or ulcer makes its ap-rance—or a swollen gland in the ast, or some other part of the body, the first warning.

cure Cancer thoroughly and perma-all the poisonous virus must be nated from the blood—every vestage driven out. This S. S. S. does, and only medicine that can reach deep-, obstinate blood troubles like this. en all the poison has been forced out e system the Cancer heals, and the se never returns.

cer begins often in a small way, as the wing letter from Mrs. Shirer shows: all pimple came on my jaw about as inch the ear on the left side of my face. It gave pain or inconven-and I should have en about it had it gun to inflame and it would bleed a hen scab over, but not heal. This ued for some time, my jaw began to becoming very . The Cancer be-o eat and spread, was as large as a llar, when I heard S. S. and determined give it a fair trial, was remarkable wonderful effect rom the very beginning; the sore began to d after taking a few bottles disappeared y. This was two years ago; there are still ns of the Cancer, and my general health ues good.—MRS. R. SHIRER, La Plata, Mo.

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MAY CLOSE THE OFFICE.

usiness at the recruiting office has very slack for the past few days very few recruits have been re-ed. Lieutenant Yule has re-ed notice from the war depart-that the office will be closed soon unless more men are se-for the various branches of the ce.

A WOMAN'S PLEA

FOR THE UPLIFTING OF EX-CONVICTS.

SOCIETY OWES THEM CHANCE

TO LEAD LIVES OF HONESTY AND INDUSTRY.

MRS. BOOTH'S STRONG PLEA

TALKED TO GREAT AUDIENCE LAST NIGHT.

The most successful lecture of the people's course of the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ was given at the church last evening when Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth lectured on "The Lights and Shadows of Prison Life." The church was packed, and it was necessary to call many chairs into requisition to accommodate the audience. Mrs. Booth is in many respects a most remarkable woman. She has a clear enunciation, a fluency of speech and the magnetic qualities which have won for her among the convicts in the many prisons she is interested in the title of "Little Mother." She is a woman of culture and refinement, of great personal charms, and has a way of addressing her audience that inspired a kindred feeling for the unfortunate men in whose cause she so earnestly labors. Mr. and Mrs. Booth possess independent means, and not one cent of the money derived from her lectures is for their private use. The money goes to maintain homes for ex-convicts in different parts of the United States.

She was the guest of Hon. T. E. Ellison, who introduced her last evening with a few preliminary remarks touching on the relation of society to convicts and ex-convicts, and the habit of "kicking a man when he's down," in other words, refusing to give an ex-convict a chance to earn an honest living and prevent him from returning to crime in order to get a living. Mrs. Booth said in part:

"It is a great pleasure for me to speak on the theme dearest to my heart. When I took up prison work and began to understand the real conditions I felt that I must devote my whole efforts to helping these unfortunate men, not only while they are in prison, but when they get out. The case was to me, as a magnet; one pole drawing me to the prison to do what I could there, the other repelling me, as it were, urging me to go into the world and make people see the case in the right light. When I first addressed a prison audience it appealed to my sympathies, and I felt as though I never wanted to speak to another audience. When I came in touch with the prisoners and understood their cases, I felt that I wanted to immure myself in prison and devote myself to their betterment.

"It is difficult for me to make people who walk in the sunny paths of the free outside world understand the cases of those 'in the shadows.' If we could but change places with these men we could realize, and be more sympathetic. In taking up their work I have laid myself open to criticism. I have been called a sickly sentimentalist and people say I talk from my own standpoint. I don't come out and whitewash convicts and say they are abused or that their jail should be a place where they should have all the comforts of life and retire from the world during their term of imprisonment. I believe that sin should be punished and that there should be a good prison discipline. The conditions that exist are responsible for a great per cent of the criminals in prisons today. When a convict is discharged and starts out to find honest work can he find it? Very seldom. People point the finger of scorn at him and say he is an ex-convict and they can't trust him. He has no recourse but to return to his criminal pursuits and he is soon back in prison, while these people complacently smile and say, 'I told you so.' Yes, they are the ones who are responsible for it, and yet they wonder why there are so many criminals, and why, when they get out, they do not reform and live honest lives.

"I do not argue with these people; it is useless. But I say these men are my brothers and are deserving of aid. Every man or woman who call themselves in the name of Christ cannot gainsay that these men are still our brothers. Could these people but know what goes on behind prison walls, could they hear the cry, 'Is there no hope for me in this world?' wrung from anguished hearts, and see the hopelessness, the bitterness and the irony, they would not withhold a helping hand. The day has come when the churches should realize that prisons are stains on the pure banner of Christ. We must prove that the prison is a step from evil to a better life. I think that the parole system and the indeterminate sentence in the state of Indiana is a wise provision, for it is an incentive to good behavior. How much better it is than the law that does not let them out until the prison life has left its stain upon them.

"I have been appalled at the number of people who know nothing of the needs within the prison walls. They feel that it is a sore spot that should not be probed. People have sought to deter me and they say, 'Once a convict, always a convict.' That statement is more of a reflection on God than on humanity, for if God can save a hypocrite in the church he can just as well cleanse the heart of a convict. Sometimes I think that it would be easier to pardon some of the convicts than to pardon those in the free world who live on, committing crimes for which no punishment is meted out.

"It is but too true that the condition of society is responsible for our state prisons. There is too much of the spirit of the elder brother and less of the spirit of the father. The popular idea of saving a criminal is to tell him the story of the prodigal son, to kneel down and pray with him and then tell him to go forth in the world and live honestly. I recently received from a convict, commissioned by his fellows to write to me a letter thanking me for my address to them in prison, and particularly thanking me for leaving out the story of the prodigal son. They don't like to have their religion doled out to them and they do not relish being placed in a class. The spirit of the elder brother, clad in his robes of righteousness, stalks abroad and looks with great disproval on the father who greets the prodigal son with open arms. A man who has been discharged from a prison is a free man in the eyes of the law, but in the eyes of the public he is an ex-convict. When that man had paid the penalty of his sin, what right have we to refuse him a chance to do right? The title of ex-convict is as bad as the title of convict. This manufactures habitual criminals. When a man is discharged and goes forth with the desire to do right he cannot. The people and the newspapers dig into the grave of the past and unearth the skeleton of his crime which they shake before his eyes. Some of the state prisons turn a man out with a suit of prison clothes and a dollar. How long will that dollar last? The man under favorable conditions could not secure work in less than a week, and maybe it would be ten weeks. With one dollar, or five dollars, or even ten dollars, how can that man live honestly until he finds employment? Branded as an ex-convict he goes forth and every one of whom he seeks work refuses him. His money is soon gone, and he becomes hopeless and desperate. Is it any wonder he returns to crime? One of the convicts in the state prison of Massachusetts was converted in prison and when he was discharged he went forth with the earnest desire to lead an honest life. Week after week he sought work, willing to labor for food alone, but he was an ex-convict and he was turned down everywhere. At last, faintly with hunger, he was found on Boston Common by a burglar who took him to his room and nursed him through a long illness back to health. His rescuer and a number of friends were planning a burglary one night, and they lacked one man as a picket. The young fellow offered his services, but the others sought to deter him and urged him to live an honest life. Turning to his benefactor he said, 'Who was it that found me and helped me and nursed me when I was sick? Was it honest people among whom you would have me live? No, it was a criminal that helped me, and I shall do something in return.' He acted as a picket that night and was ar-

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Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Break up colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels, and Destroy Worms. Mrs Emily Marcon, Meriden, Ct., says: "It is the best medicine in the world for children when feverish and complaining." Sold by all druggists or by mail, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

turned to prison for a long term, and the good people said, 'I told you so.'

"I realize that these men must work out their own salvation. We can do much for them, but the key to the situation lies within the hearts of the men themselves. They must have an ambition to better themselves, and must prepare for liberty. Realizing this we formed the Volunteer Prison League, which is a branch of the Volunteers of America. The movement grew out of circumstances, and from a desire to bring to the men a message from my heart. When I saw these men standing in prison before their fellows and declaring themselves to be willing to try and do better, I felt the need of an organization to assist them in their good intentions. Hence the Volunteer Prison League. In order to join the men must agree to keep a set of promises. Each is then given a white button with a blue star and the motto, 'Look Up and Hope.' A blue standard with a white star is given each post. There are now over 10,000 convicts in the league. The members have to adhere strictly to the rules for they are closely watched by their non-member fellow-convicts who would quickly detect any shortcoming and then woe betide him with the other members of the league.

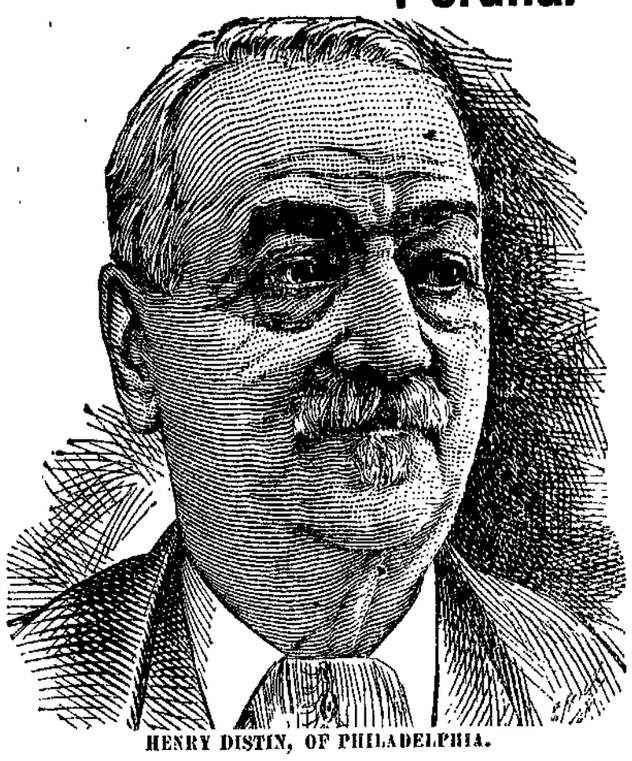
"I realized that assistance outside the prison must be of a practical nature. I knew that these men would not care to adhere to the league in prison or desire to lead honest lives when they came out unless they had something to look forward to. So we secured a house in New York, fitted it up like a home and made the surroundings as congenial as we could. There was no suggestion of charity. The beds had white sheets, the bedrooms had cheery colored paper on the walls and contained pretty pictures. The tables had white spreads and the dishes were not coarse. Why is it that when we feed the poor we cover the rough tables with oilcloth and give them coffee in thick cups? We do not do this at Hope hall, the name of the home. We have since purchased a large property near Flushing, where all the comforts of home are provided, and 'my boys,' as I call them, can come with the knowledge that they can stay as long as they please. They never take advantage of me. They take pride in the home, which is now in a most prosperous condition. Over 1,500 ex-convicts have passed through it and we are proud to say that no crime has ever been traced back to any one that has ever sojourned at Hope hall."

VISITS MANY COUNTRIES.

W. C. Bishop, of 515 Lafayette street, has received a very interesting letter from his brother, Harry Bishop, written from North Luzon on January 30. Harry Bishop has a position in the civil services which necessitates extensive travels in China, Japan, the Philippines and other Oriental countries. He was in Pekin during the battle between the Ninth infantry and the boxers. Mr. Bishop describes the Chinese as a most ingenious people, not treacherous, and possessing great skill as farmers. The Chinese farmers train monkeys to climb the mountains to pluck tea, and he states that the finest known brands of tea come from Pekin. Mr. Bishop is of the opinion that the Filipinos are far below the Chinese in intelligence, and his comparisons would tend to show that our new fellow-countrymen are very undesirable neighbors. In his phraseology "they are the poorest, 'dumbest,' the most cowardly, treacherous and murderous" class of people he has ever seen. He states that they were willing to work for four and one-half cents a day, American money, under the Spanish regime, but they think Americans are made of money, and demand twenty-five cents a day for labor. Mr. Bishop was in Sydney, Australia, and visited the diamond fields in that country. He expects to be home in the course of a year, and will come by way of England.

A FAMOUS MUSICIAN

Cured of Catarrh and La Grippe by Peruna.



HENRY DISTIN, OF PHILADELPHIA.

Henry Distin, the inventor and maker of all the band instruments for the Henry Distin Manufacturing Co., at Williamsport, Pa., is probably the most active old man in Philadelphia today. He and his wife recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, at their home, on South Ninth street. Mr. Distin comes from one of the most famous musical families of the old world, his father and grandfather before him, as well as himself, having played at most all the royal courts of England and the continent.

1441 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa., May 6, 1899.

Dr. S. B. Hartman:

Dear Sir—I write to inform you that I had a bad attack of la grippe last December which lasted more than three months, and which left me with catarrh, and several of my friends advised me to try your wonderful medicine, Peruna. I began with a bottle the first week in March and it certainly did me a great deal of good. I was so well satisfied that I purchased another bottle and followed your directions, which you furnish with every bottle, and I am glad to say that it has cured me. I shall certainly recommend the Peruna to all my friends, Yours, very truly, Henry Distin.

As soon as any one is attacked with la grippe Peruna should be taken every two hours during the day—adults a tablespoonful, children a teaspoonful. But it is the after-effects of la grippe which are generally the most serious unless Peruna is taken. In all cases where Peruna is taken as above during the acute stage the recovery is prompt and complete; but where the ordinary treatment is followed the patient will complain for weeks and months of weakness, slight headache, want of appetite, and many other symptoms of low vitality. Such people should begin at once the use of Peruna—a tablespoonful before each meal, gradually increasing the dose to two tablespoonfuls.

Mrs. Theophile Schmitt, wife of the Ex-Secretary of the German consulate, writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman in regard to Peruna:

3417 WABASH, AVE., CHICAGO, ILL.,

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—"I suffered this winter with a severe attack of la grippe, and having repeatedly heard of the value of Peruna in such cases, I thought I would try it. I used it faithfully, and began to feel a change for the better the second day, and in the course of a week I was very much improved. After using three bottles I not only found the la grippe had disappeared, but my general health was much better. I am satisfied that Peruna is a wonderful family remedy, and gladly endorse it." Yours, Mrs. Theophile Schmitt.

Mrs. Schmitt.

La grippe is epidemic catarrh. Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. Send for a free copy of "Winter Catarrh." This book contains a lecture by Dr. Hartman on la grippe, which has attracted wide attention. Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

AGED BANKER DIES.

Detroit, Mich., March 20.—Albert Ives, the eldest banker in Detroit, died at his residence here early today aged ninety-one years. In 1847 he established the private bank of A. Ives & Sons, which failed last fall. Mr. Ives, who had retired from active business, was kept ignorant of the failure, and up to his death believed the institution to be flourishing. He was born in Wallingford, Conn., and came to Detroit in 1837.

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If your boy is to be confirmed this year he will of course need a new suit. We have anticipated your wants and in our Boy's Department you will find the largest assortment of Knee Pant and Long Trouser Confirmation Suits in this part of the state—scores of the latest styles and best fabrics from which to make a selection—Cheviots, Clay Worsteds, Fine Serges and Thibets. These Suits are all carefully made and elegantly finished and are far superior to the ordinary run of Boys' Suits found in the majority of stores. They were ordered by us especially for the approaching Confirmations, and while they are superior Suits in every respect

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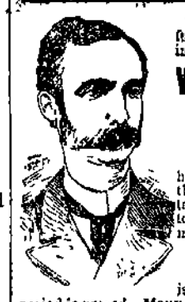

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CHEAP RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

February 12th and each Tuesday thereafter, until and including April 30th, special low rate Colonist tickets will be sold via the Southern Pacific Company's "Ogden" and "Sunset" Routes to all points in California.

The rate will be: From Chicago, $30.00; from St. Louis, Memphis and New Orleans, $27.50; from Omaha, Kansas City, etc., $25.00. Corresponding low rates from all other points east and north.

For particulars and detailed information pertaining to the Southern Pacific Company's Routes and these special rates to California, call upon or address, W. G. Neimyer, G. W. A., S. P. Co., 238 Clark St., Chicago, Ill.; W. H. Connor, C. A., S. P. Co., Chamber Commerce bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio. 26tf

At the Cathedral mission last evening Father Shyne lectured to another large congregation. His subject was "Eternal Punishment." This evening Father Mulconry, one of the most eloquent speakers ever heard in a Fort Wayne pulpit, will preach on "The Confessional," explaining a much-misunderstood doctrine of Catholicism.

The faculty of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will hold its final meeting at the college building tomorrow afternoon to pass upon the examinations, which will have been completed by that time. The college trustees will meet Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Kettler entertained the East Side Aid society this afternoon.

LOCAL LINES.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kruse—a son.

Donald McDonald is quite ill from typhoid fever.

Miss Emma Rosenthal is at home from a visit at Chicago.

Mrs. Minnie Graves-Brown left today for a brief visit in Toledo.

Val C. Rocholl has recovered from an illness of several days' duration.

The Tippecanoe club will give a smoker and card party this evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. August Meyer, of South Calhoun street—a son.

Frank A. Manuel has received an appointment in the railway mail service.

The Amicus club will be entertained Thursday evening by Mrs. George Fox.

Miss Genevieve Szink will entertain a company of invited friends at pedro Friday evening.

Architect Weatherhogg is preparing plans for the new Odd Fellows' building at Monroeville.

Mrs. W. F. Graham left today for a visit with friends at Howard, Pa., and other eastern points.

Kent Blair arrived in the city today from New York to spend a vacation of ten days with his parents.

Kendallville Sun: "Mrs. Brahmer went to Fort Wayne today to receive medical treatment at a hospital."

The Wabash Church Furniture company is installing the furniture in the new Emmaus Lutheran church.

Mrs. Albert Stauch, of Huntington, is a patient at Hope hospital, where she will undergo a surgical operation.

Next Monday evening a reception will be held in the Y. W. C. A. parlors in honor of Mrs. McCrea, the state secretary.

The members of the Amaranthus and the E. M. C. T. clubs were pleasantly entertained Monday evening by Miss Lillie Nessel.

Mrs. W. W. Atterbury, of Altoona, Pa., gives a cotillion Friday evening in honor of Miss Mary Evans, of this city, who is her guest.

St. Paul's Walther league is arranging for an entertainment at its hall on Friday evening. Moving pictures will be a feature.

Miss Barrett entertained a company at whist informally Monday evening in honor of Miss Helen Van Schuyver, of Portland, Ore.

A number of Fort Wayne ladies will attend a reception to be given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. John Niblack and daughters, at Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frederick Reusch, of South Bend, are the parents of a little daughter. Mrs. Reusch will be remembered as Miss Marguerite Hanna.

C. B. Raymond has gone to Toledo to become assistant superintendent of the International Correspondence schools. P. Harris, of Buffalo, succeeds Mr. Raymond in Fort Wayne.

The Consumers' Ice company, of Fort Wayne, has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state, with a capital stock of $10,000. The directors are William Goodfellow, James Goodfellow, C. W. Lonson and F. M. Fauvre.

DEATH'S RECORD OF THE DAY

JAMES AKEY EXPIRES AT AN ADVANCED AGE.

Well Known Adams Township Farmer Who Came to Fort Wayne in 1849—Other Mortuary Matters.

James Akey, for many years a well known Adams township farmer, died Monday evening at 5 o'clock at his home, near New Haven, at the advanced age of 78 years. Death was due to the infirmities of age.

Mr. Akey came to Fort Wayne in 1849, lived in this city for fifteen years and then removed to the farm which has since been his home. He was a highly respected citizen and a member of the Maples M. P. church. Surviving are the widow and eight children.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Methodist Protestant church at New Haven.

SUTORIUS.

Ludwig C., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Sutorius, of 267 Gay street, died at 5 o'clock this morning from lung fever, at the age of six months.

Funeral services will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Cooper.—Funeral services of Mrs. Mary Cooper will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, 777 South Broadway, Rev. Dr. W. D. Parr officiating. The interment will be at Lindenwood.

Stanger.—Funeral services of Henry Stanger will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 298 Buchanan street. The remains will be incinerated at Lindenwood.

Isabey.—Funeral services of Mrs. Sarah Isabey will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 35 Lincoln avenue. Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Woods, Christian Science readers, will officiate, and the interment will be at Lindenwood.

Austin.—Funeral services of the late Mrs. Louise Austin will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 35 Lincoln avenue. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Christian Science church.

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Does your head ache? Pain back of your eyes? Bad taste in your mouth? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, headache, dyspepsia.

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Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use
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12 AND 14 ARCADE.

MR. FOSTER IN MEXICO.

The Herald, published in the City of Mexico, says:

"Samuel M. Foster, a prominent business man of Fort Wayne, Ind., is among the Gates excursion party now visiting in this city, and Mr. Foster said last evening, in talking of forming opinions while traveling with excursions, that it was impossible for anybody to gather a correct impression of any country under such circumstances.

"'While we are all having an excellent time,' continued Mr. Foster 'yet we are unable to get more than superficial view of the country under these circumstances. Tourists are afforded nothing but a spectacular view of the fantastic side of the country and the commercial opportunities which are said to exist in Mexico never appeal to the average excursionist. However, this is not to be expected. Excursions are not organized for that purpose, and when an unsophisticated American is let loose in the republic of Mexico, he finds so much of the spectacular and so much difference in social customs, that it is not to be expected that a few days here and there can give him a broad view or a true conception of the best which the country affords. Yet many undertake to publish these hasty impressions.

"'Mexico is becoming a greater attraction each year to the American traveler as well as the business man, and I expect that, within a few years more, it will be as well known as a summer resort as it is now as a place for the people from the north to escape the cold winters of their homes.'"

HE SAID IT.

And Every Word Was Worth a Gold Piece.

When an old, experienced druggist advises a man to throw medicine to the dogs and use good common sense and the right kind of food the advice is worth heeding.

"An old friend of mine whom I knew to be not only a first-class druggist, but an honest man as well, advised me, in order to cure my dyspepsia which I had suffered with for 12 long years, and spent hundreds of dollars in order to get well, to quit most of all kinds and make my meals on Grape-Nuts Food and cream, with cooked fruit and Postum Cereal Food Coffee.

"I took his advice and in a few days a great change had taken place. I was no longer troubled with pains in the side, smothering spells, palpitation, and pains about the heart, and when night came I looked forward to a good night's rest. I was also free from headaches and sour stomach that had been with me for years before. In fact, I was a new man, and improved so rapidly in health that I went up to 229 pounds.

"I am enjoying as good health as I ever did in my life, and no healthier man can be found, I firmly believe.

"During the past winter I was out of doors every day, and we had some very severe weather. Those who worked with me and used coffee and tea and other kinds of liquid beverages were constantly complaining of the cold. I did not suffer in the least, nor did I contract a bad cold during the entire winter.

"I know a lady in Pittsburg who suffered from dyspesia as much as I did. She was a terrible sufferer. She had a deathly color, but she went on Grape-Nuts Food and Postum Cereal Food Coffee and gained twenty-three pounds in less than three months. She lost the greenish color of her complexion, and now her cheeks are as rosy as a school girl's, and her eyes bright as a dollar.

"I know when I am well off and stick to Grape-Nuts and Postum Food Coffee."

INSPECTED BATTERY B.

The annual inspection of Battery B, the Fort Wayne light artillery, was held Tuesday evening under the requirements of the laws which govern the Indiana national guard, and the inspecting officer was Maj. A. B. Schanz, of Attica. He was assisted by Lieut. E. P. VanCamp, of Indianapolis. The battery was found to be in excellent shape and superbly drilled. Major Schanz and Lieutenant VanCamp left this morning for Indianapolis.

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The Edmunds Electric Construction Co., having concluded that there is no necessity for Fort Wayne being outdone by the larger cities in the way of popular and unusually fine materials in their line, have purchased a stock of Oriental Lanterns which are very handsome in design. We have them in all sizes and at prices ranging from $1.50 to $25. We also have the largest line of Electric and Gas Shades in the state. We will be pleased to show our Lanterns, etc., to all interested in that line of goods.

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FOR RENT—Room, with or without board, including bath. Day boarders wanted. Mrs. Keller, 46 W. Wayne. 15tf

FOR RENT—No. 9 East Wayne, opp. Fruit House, in rear of the Bruder jewelry corner, on Calhoun; all vacant. 3-9-tf

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FOR RENT—Store room, No. 94 Wells street. Inquire at the Diether Lumber Works, office East Superior street. 18-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, with or without board; all conveniences, at 114 Clinton St., one block from Masonic Temple. 19t6

FOR RENT—Two modern residences on East Berry and seven-room house at 29 Fischer street. W. E Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR RENT—House of eight rooms; all modern improvements; centrally located; first-class in every respect Apply 49 Harmer street. 3-9-tf

FOR RENT—Nce furnished rooms, at No. 15 Clay street, near Berry, with bath privileges, and will board if desired. Apply at residence. 7-tf

FOR RENT—The two store rooms fronting on Berry street, in Ninde block, northwest corner of Berry and Harrison streets. Inquire at the Old National bank. 6tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms on first and second floors, with or without board; all modern conveniences; rates reasonable. 27 and 29 East Washington street. 5-1mo

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new phone. 10tf

FOR RENT—In Foster block, Court St., second story, over Kettler's furniture store, handsomely furnished room for gentlemen or married couple with children; light, heat and attendance to rooms furnished; bath and toilet rooms; unexceptionable references required. Apply at Foster Furniture Co. 3-20-26t

WANTED.

WANTED—A porter. Apply at Randall hotel. 20-2t

WANTED—At once two experienced sewing girls at 109 Lafayette St. 20-2t

WANTED—Everybody to call up Consumers' Ice Co.; both phones 594. m18-tf

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Apply at 76 West Creighton avenue. 20-2t

WANTED—A first-class baker. Apply at Wherle & Sons, 126 Fairfield Ave. 18-3t

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Bushor, 107 Holman street. 20-tf

WANTED—A girl to do general housework at 242 W. Wayne street. Mrs. Charles A. Wilding. 19-tf

WANTED—A man to learn to repair watches. Call at 98 North Harrison street, between 9 and 10 a. m. 19tf

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column Room 3, Arcade, upstairs 18tf

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; must come well recommended; good wages. 241 West Berry street. 11-tf

WANTED—A middle-aged woman without incumberance to work in a family of three adults; good home and good wages. Call at 87 W. Jefferson St. 3-20-tf

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WANTED—Ladies, consult Mme. Place, M. B. C., in regard to your facial blemishes, 38 W. Wayne St. Electric bath, beauty culture, manicure and hair dressing parlors, for ladies only. 2-28-tf

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WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; only eight weeks required; have positions paying $15 weekly waiting graduates this spring; comparatively little expense. Write Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 16-6t

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WANTED—Every man, woman and child to call at the Citizens' Trust Company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000. Interest paid on deposits. 8tf

WANTED—Cancers, tumors, birthmarks and all morbid growths removed without the use of surgeon's ghastly knife. One application does the work. Cure guaranteed. Dr. Zimmerman, Sanitarium, 38 West Wayne street, corner Harrison, Fort Wayne Ind. 2-28-tf

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LOST—Long black pocketbook containing a number of notes. Finder please return to Wm. Meyer, jr., auditor, and receive reward. 19-2t

LOST—A mink boa, with head, Sunday, March 10; either on street car or going to First Presbyterian church Sunday school, at Sunday school or returning via Clinton and E. Berry St. Finder leave at Foster Furniture Co.'s. 19-2t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Engine and boiler. Inquire, P. A. Randall. 20eod-tf

FOR SALE—Ladies' wheel; good as new. 563 S. Broadway. 20-2t

FOR SALE—A nice cottage on West Creighton ave.; price, $1,650. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—One platform spring wagon at Cope's feed yard, corner Barr and Columbia Sts. 20-4t

FOR SALE—A bargain, on West Dennis Wald street; belongs to heirs out of city; want an offer. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new nine-room steam heated residence, west end; price cut to $4,500. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Or Exchange—For Fort Wayne property, two farms. Address, F. G. Gauntt, No. 39 Douglas ave. 2-23-eod2m

FOR SALE—A nine room boarding house; well furnished, good trade and good location. Inquire at 255 Clinton St. 19t2

FOR SALE—Six rooms and bath room on East Williams, near Calhoun, at $2,250. W. E. Doud, over old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Either of three elegant Berry street residences; very central; $10,000 each. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—7 room house, partly modern, large barn, 50 ft. lot, on Hoagland Ave. Price $3,200. W. E. Doud, over Old National Bank. 23-tf

FOR SALE—Second hand cook stoves and furniture. All kinds of furniture bought, sold and exchanged. J. M. Rasmus, 69 E. Main St. 3-9-1m

FOR SALE—Some choice building lots on West Creighton, Fairfield and South Broadway; finest residence location. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new, nine rooms, bath and electric lights, on Hanna street, near DeWald; a special bargain, $3,000. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—It will pay you to buy shoes of us, as we will dispose of all our shoes within the next thirty days, regardless of price. A call will convince you at L. J. Libbing & Co.'s, 39 East and 23 West Main street.

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FOR SALE—Bargains—Three Washington boulevard residences; five-room cottage on Boone street; choice vacant lot on Boone street; seven-room house on Smith street; choice lot in Lakeside, one-half price. J. T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE—A nice home on Douglass Ave.; house and lot on Pine St., half price; make me an offer on 111 Taylor St.; house and lot on Third St., $1,650.00; six room house and half lot on McClellan St., $2,100. Bargains in vacant lots in all parts of city. G. E. Miner, Real Estate and Loans, Notary Public, 23 Court St. 3-12-1mo

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1901.

TONIGHT.

d Carriers—Regular meeting of No. 10 at 41 West Main street, second floor.

ainters and Decorators—Regular meeting of No. 30 at 62 Clinton treet, third floor.

athers—Regular meeting of No. 40 t Pearl and Harrison streets, second floor.

hristian Science—Services of First church in Harmony hall; Second church in old Hebrew tabernacle.

odges—Fort Wayne Council No. 4, t. and S. M.; Fort Wayne Chapter No. 19, Royal Arch Masons; Mechecaunnochqua Tribe No. 106, I. . R. M.; Concordia No. 228, I. O. . F.; Fort Wayne No. 1,547, I. O. . F.; Wayne Council No. 35, Jr. O. U. A. M.; Fort Wayne No. 19, A. t. U. W.; Liberty Council No. 22, K. and L. of C.; Columbus Court of Honor No. 242.

asonic Temple—Week's attractions: onight, The Black Patti Troubadours.

Thursday night, Sousa's Band.

aturday night, "Secret Service."

t is well proved that a bear is te as bad as a bull in a China op.

If winter is back again to loll in lap of spring it is because the uette lured him with a smile.

eneral Botha evidently thinks the ers may as well be wiped out one r as another, with some preferences for having it me on the battlefield.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the billion-dollar steel trust, says that being born poor was the greatest blessing of his life. It will be noted, however, that it was a blessing Mr. Schwab was quick to let go of.

It is now declared, and perhaps with truth, that a fraud was perpetrated in the Indiana house with respect to the railroad bill that was passed and vetoed by the governor. But why make a fuss about that particular incident? That was not all the legislature did.

Those Kansas convicts who have gone down into a coal hole several hundred feet under ground to mutiny could be taught a very handsome lesson were it not for the guards they hold as hostages. But the mutineers probably thought of that when they decided to keep the guards in duress while their demands were under consideration outside.

The present trouble between Russia and Great Britain seems to be due to the fact that China made a concession of the same territory to each of those powers. If this is true it is "too Chinese" to be regarded as a mistake. The oriental mind could easily conceive the possible hilarity of such a situation as now exists at Tien Tsin and would not be slow to set up the conditions to bring it about. It looks like a very clever trick from which China may profit in the peace and indemnity negotiations now under way.

FORT WAYNE MUST HAVE IT.

FORT WAYNE AUDITORIUM ASSOCIATION — I AM A MEMBER

We must have the auditorium. If the building be not erected there will be a most unsightly gap in the circle of our public institutions. We have the new court house, the public library is assured, the new high school and manual training school building is guaranteed, there is a sightly city hall, scores of splendid churches and other scores of beautiful public and parochial school buildings. The one thing missing and not definitely provided for is the auditorium. Fort Wayne must have that, too.

Fort Wayne seems now on the eve of the finest period of its development. It is no longer an overgrown town, but a city. It should have a city's pride and public spirit. The things we need to make good our claim to position and importance should be forthcoming. Some of them are. The auditorium should be among these. We need it. It is vital to our growth and prosperity, as it is essential to our pleasure and education. The sooner we get it the better. It all depends on the public spirit of the people of Fort Wayne whether we get it soon or late, or get it at all. A lively awakening to the importance of this enterprise and quick and generous response to the canvass for subscriptions will make the auditorium a possibility of the present year.

Every person in Fort Wayne who is able to subscribe for stock is in some degree responsible for what becomes of the project. Every one such can share in the glory of the achievement or the shame of failure.

Fort Wayne must have the auditorium. It is now materially and morally essential to the city. We cannot afford to do ourselves the harm that would ensue from failure of this enterprise. We cannot afford to dispense with the benefits it would confer upon the city. Without the auditorium the scope of the city's future development will be most disastrously narrowed. We cannot afford that.

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Miss Waneta Smith entertained a company of friends last evening in celebration of her birthday anniversary. Progressive caroms was the amusement.

A Sad Inheritance.

A little girl [illegible] seven years old was stricken down with rheumatism, and the local doctor said it was hereditary, as the other members of the family had it. She suffered from it for five years, until a friend who had been cured of the disease by Ath-lo-pho-ros recommended this remedy to her. The doctors had tried five years to cure her, but Ath-lo-pho-ros did it with only two bottles. These inherited cases are the hardest to cure, but Ath-lo-pho-ros will do it, no matter what the cause or the conditions.

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COUNCIL COMMITTEE TAKES UP QUESTION.

Route for Maumee Valley Electric Line is Agreed Upon—Sol Goldberger Wants Franchise.

The committee on franchises and the councilmen from the First, Second and Eighth wards met at the city hall last night to take up the New Haven electric road franchise, better known as the Maumee Valley franchise. The railroad company was represented by Will O'Rourke and C. W. Orr and the route which they proposed met with serious opposition from the property owners along the line. Residents along Hayden, Hough and Clay streets objected and the Clay street remonstrants were particularly vigorous in their protests. A number of different routes were suggested and discussed, but finally a compromise was effected and the following line was agreed upon: The line will enter the city on New Haven avenue and will run as far as Fletcher avenue, and thence north to Maumee avenue, west on Maumee to Walton, and north across the Walton avenue bridge to Lake avenue, in Lakeside, where it will connect with the tracks of the Ohio and Indiana company, coming down town on Columbia street. This line together with the lines asked for by the Southwestern company, which will probably be granted, will form almost a belt line around the city, a consummation which the board of works is striving for. The route as agreed upon last night will be recommended to the council and it will probably be accepted, the conditions imposed on other lines being embodied in the franchise agreed upon.

SOL GOLDBERGER'S LINE.

Solomon Goldberger, the junk man, has budded out as a promoter of street railways and has presented an application for a franchise to Chairman Eggemann, of the board of works. Mr. Goldberger is running opposition to the Maumee Valley company in some respects. He does not say who is going to build his road or who is back of him in the scheme—all he wants is a right of way. Neither does Mr. Goldberger care much for the Fort Wayne Traction company, but seeks to parallel its Clinton street line. He wants to start at the corner of Calhoun and Columbia streets and run east to Clinton street, then south on Clinton to Holman, and east on Holman to Hanna, south on Hanna to Hayden, and east on Hayden to Walton avenue, south on Walton avenue to the Wayne trace, and southeast on the Wayne trace to the city limits. Where he proposes to go to from the city limits he does not say and evidently does not think that it is anybody's business. All other roads indicate to what neighboring city they will extend their line, but Mr. Goldberger is not hampered by any condition beyond the city limits. Mr. Goldberger's line would close up a large portion of the gap remaining in the belt line of interurban roads and it is probably with a sole view of closing that gap that the new Napoleon has become ambitious.

ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

Engineer Randall says that the continuous high water in the Maumee has compelled abandonment of work on two drifts of the intercepting sewer, and adds that unless the water subsides pretty soon work on the third drift will likewise have to be suspended. The water is not unusually high and has been at a standstill for a week or more, but it is nevertheless high enough to interfere with the work. The sewer is now ready for connection at three places and the interruption at this time is particularly aggravating.

The mayor said this morning that he is in no hurry to make the appointment of health commissioner and will not make it at any rate until after the government has been furnished with a certified copy of the charter amendments. The state authorities are also apparently in no hurry to precipitate a change in local affairs, since application for a certified copy of the charter was made over a week ago and no response has yet been received. No changes of any character will be made until after the city administration is officially informed where it is at.

Complaint was lodged with the board of works this morning by property owners on Harrison street, north of Superior, of the condition of that highway. It is charged that the teamsters hauling dirt from the interceptor do not load their wagons properly and do not protect their loads. The consequence is that dirt in large quantities is scattered by each passing team and now the accumulation has become so great that the street is knee-deep with mud. The complainants want the sewer contractor to clean the street. The board of works promised relief.

Veterans of Sion S. Bass post No. 40, G. A. R., tendered a surprise party Monday evening to Commander A. W. Pierce, in honor of his birthday anniversary, which occurred on St. Patrick's day. Mr. Pierce was presented with a handsome rocker, and the evening was most pleasantly spent. A program of vocal and instrumental music was rendered, including many of the old war songs, and over cigars and stories the veterans fought their battles over again. At 11 o'clock all sat down to a ration of hardtack and coffee, and in leaving the comrades extended to Commander Pierce their wish that he might have many years of comfort in the march of time.

URGE A MEMORIAL BUILDING

IN HONOR OF GEN. ANTHONY WAYNE.

Union Veteran Legion Would Have a Pretty Structure on the Site of the Old Fort.

Encampment No. 51, of the Union Veteran Legion, has taken the initiatory steps looking to the erection of a pretty memorial building in this city in honor of General Anthony Wayne. At the last meeting of the encampment Captain Scott Swaim introduced the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, First, that the colonel of the encampment appoint a committee of [illegible] to use their influence in preparing the way to have the city of Fort Wayne donate the Old Fort ground for a monumental building to be erected thereon and dedicated to General Anthony Wayne; the building to contain quarters for an armory, etc.

"Second, that all Grand Army posts, state militia and the Spanish-American war veterans appoint committees to co-operate with us.

"Third, that the Anthony Wayne monument fund be used to erect a proper monument to General Wayne.

"Fourth, that we ask the state of Indiana to contribute.

"Fifth, that we ask the congress of the United States to make a proper appropriation."

In accordance with the resolution Colonel McClelland, commanding the encampment, appointed a committee composed of General H. C. Zollinger, Colonel M. M. Thompson and Colonel Henry M. Williams, and copies of the resolution have been sent to other military organizations in order to enlist their aid in the movement.

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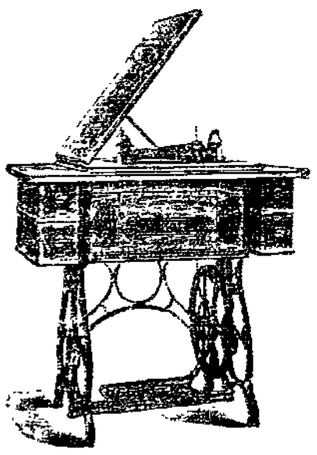

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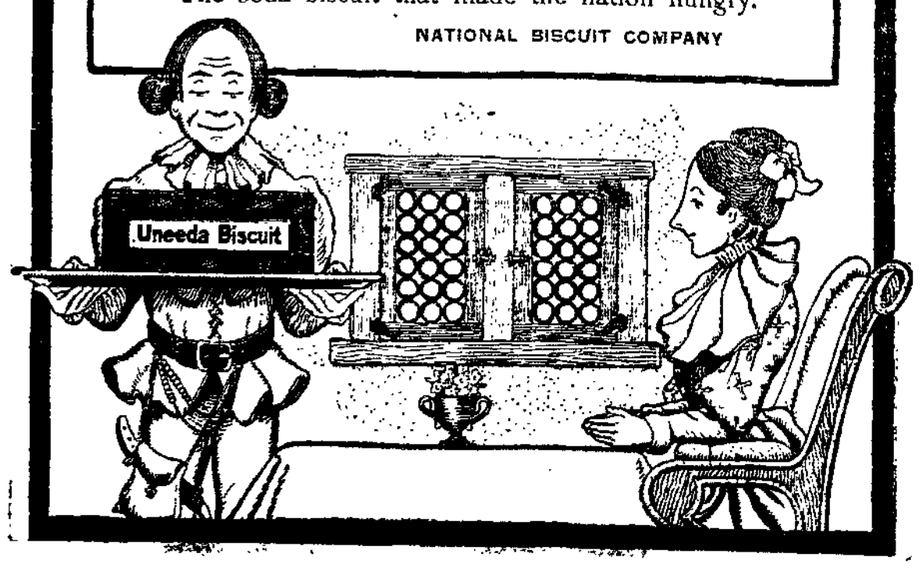

ABOUT BASE BALL.

There were doings in base ball circles last night, but what the real result of the aforesaid doings will be cannot yet be foretold. As was previously announced, Manager Watkins came to town for the purpose of talking things over with the local magnates and he was joined here by the irrepressible Strobel, of Toledo, who always wants to be around when anything is being done. As was forecasted in these columns several days ago, Indianapolis and Louisville were denied berths in the Western league and they are now clearly on the outside unless room can be made for them in the Inter-State circuit. The object of Watkins' visit was to make formal application for admission to the Inter-State league. The conference was held at the Wayne club and was attended by President Meyer, President Mautner, President Strobel and President Watkins. They were in session until a late hour and after they got through neither had anything to say for publication. It is known, however, that it was considered advisable to rearrange the Inter-State circuit so as to include Louisville, Grand Rapids and Indianapolis. Deacon Ellis, of Grand Rapids, said some weeks ago that he would interest himself in base ball if he could get into a circuit with Indianapolis and Louisville, but he would have nothing to do with the smaller towns. Strobel accordingly went back to Toledo and was expected to go to Grand Rapids today to talk the matter over and see whether Ellis was still anxious to break into the base ball arena. President Meyer in the meantime has gone to Indianapolis to confer with J. T. Brush, of the National league, and learn from him what prospect there is of the Inter-State holding Indianapolis as a part of its territory in case arrangements can be made for its admission this season. After all these preliminaries are settled the question of how to get the three towns into the league will be considered. There was an agreement made before the meeting at Columbus last week that the Inter-State should be organized regardless of the other towns now clamoring for admission, and those who did cast their lot with the Inter-State were guaranteed protection against invasion of their rights by any outsiders. There is no disposition now on the part of the majority of the league to oust any of the minor clubs and it is probable that if Indianapolis and Louisville want to come in they will have to buy their way in. It is certain anyway that all cities which have any investment will be protected. This means Fort Wayne, Toledo, Mansfield, Dayton and Columbus, all of which towns have investments made in parks and other club property. Wheeling has not a cent invested and being away off to one side could most easily be spared. Anderson has no investment, but it is a desirable city, while Marion, it is understood, has leased grounds and paid for them, but could be spared. President Mautner said that the question of dropping clubs had not yet been considered, but that it could be done without injustice to any of the towns mentioned which have no investment made. Making room for the new cities will not be taken up until after it is known exactly who wants to come in and upon what terms they want to come. There will probably be developments in a few days and if the big towns are dropped matters will go right along as they were planned at the Columbus meeting a week ago.

SECURE A NEW HALL.

The Walther league of Emmanuel's Lutheran church has secured the entire upper floor of the large Lutheran school building at Wilt and Union streets, and will hold its future meetings there. Workmen will at once begin remodeling the rooms, and the new quarters will be commodious and pleasant. The society has been heretofore holding its meetings in the basement of the building, and it is believed the change will prove so agreeable as to result in a largely increased membership.

Mothers, be sure and use Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. may8eod&w

Wait for Mergentheim's opening reception, Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock. March 26. Finest and largest display of Hats and Bonnets and Millinery Novelties ever shown in Fort Wayne.

HATCHING A REVOLUTION.

Wilimstad, Island of Curacoa, March 20.—(Via Haytian Cable.)—General Andrade, the former president of Venezuela, has arrived here from San Juan de Porto Rico. It is generally understood that his presence here indicates preparation for a serious revolutionary movement in Venezuela in connection with the Peraza, Riera Rolando, Pietri and Crespo partisans.

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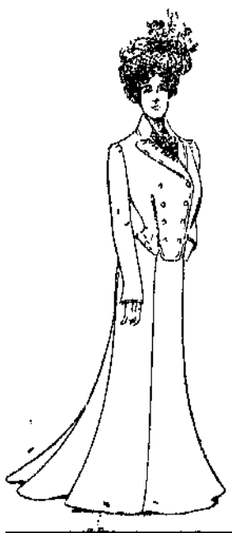

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Eton Jacket Suits, Blouse Jacket Suits, the best and latest of their kind, in Black, Navy, Mode, Brown, Gray, etc., trimmed or plain, for Ladies or Misses, at $6.90, $7.50, $8.00, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 to $40.00.

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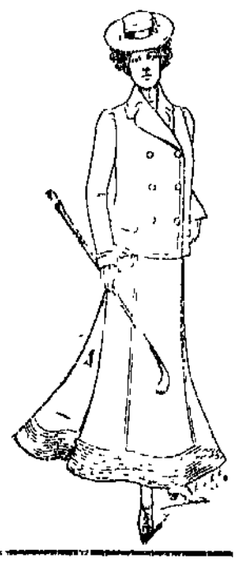
Walking Skirts.

More popular than ever this season. We have them in medium and Dark Oxford Mixtures, Covert and Pebble Cloth, single face or plaid back, at $1.98, $2.90, $3.90, $5.00, $6.50 up to $15.00.

Jackets and Capes.

We are showing a better line than ever this season in various styles and cloths for Ladies, Misses and Children. Ladies' and Misses' Jackets from $3.90, $5.00, $6.50, $7.50, $10.00 to $20.00. Children's Reefers, $1.00 to $7.50.

Cases in Cloth or Silk, plain and trimmed, short, medium or large lengths, splendid values at $1.98, $2.50, $3.90, $5.00 to $15.00.



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Linoleums and Oilcloths is another New Department that will be seen here. Nothing but the highest grade of goods at the lowest possible prices will be our motto here. Every piece we have on display is perfectly new, just from the mill. Step in and see our variety.

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Our China Department has already proven quite an attraction to those who would save a little on their purchase. No use to pay fancy prices for fancy China. See our large variety of pretty Cups and Saucers, Plates, Sauce Dishes, Oatmeal Dishes, etc., that we are selling at 10c each. Then we have better goods if you want them, equally as cheap.

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THE WILL IS READ

DISPOSITION MADE OF THE HARRISON ESTATE.

WIDOW GETS THE BULK OF IT

SON RUSSELL IS CUT OFF WITH MEMENTOES.

MUCH FOR GRANDCHILDREN

ESTATE NOT SO LARGE AS WAS THOUGHT.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20.—That the estrangement between General Benjamin Harrison and his son Russell because of the marriage of the ex-president to Mary Lord Dimmick had not grown less in the passing of years was strongly brought out yesterday afternoon in the general's will. Of the estate of $300,000 not one penny is left to Russell. Down near the close of the document one share of the residue of the estate is bequeathed to Russell, but "in trust for his children, to be used for the support and education of such children." And note this cutting addition: "Such a portion as it not used before shall be turned over to each child on his becoming of age." The young man incurred a number of debts—including one of several thousand in running his Helena (Mont.) Journal, now defunct, back in the '80s—and these, the evidence of which were in the hands of the general at his death, he ordered canceled.

Russell is given the portraits of the first Mrs. Harrison, the certificate of William Henry Harrison's election to the presidency and minor presents, but the general gives his eldest this parting shot in item 16:

"If another child should be born to me of my present marriage I give and bequeath to such child the sum of $10,000. If a boy shall be born to me he shall bear my name and my sword and rosh shall be given to him instead of to my son Russell."

MRS. HARRISON GETS $125,000

The will names the Union Trust company as trustee and executor of the estate. It was made April 20, 1899. It covers twelve typewritten pages and is drawn in the logical, careful manner characteristic of similar documents executed by him. The first bequest is that of $100,000 (increased to $125,000 by a codicil) to his widow, Mary Lord Harrison, to be invested and the interest to be paid to her during the term of her natural life, any loss from bad investments to be made good to her from the residuary estate. He also leaves $15,000 to his widow and $10,000 to his little daughter Elizabeth on the condition that if she die before becoming of age or marrying the unused balance is to go to her mother.

GIVES TO GRANDCHILDREN.

Ten thousand dollars is to be invested until his grandson, Benjamin Harrison McKee, familiarly known as "Baby McKee," shall become of age, when he shall have both the principal and interest. This sum goes to the residuary estate if the grandson should die before reaching his majority. To each of his other grandchildren—Mary Lodge McKee, Marthena Harrison and William Henry Harrison—he leaves $2,500. His sisters—Sarah H. Devin and Anna H. Morris—and his sister-in-law—Elizabeth Scott Parker—sister of his widow, each get $500. His sister—Betty H. Eaton—gets an annuity of $600. His nephew and namesake—Benjamin Harrison, jr., son of his brother John—gets $500; E. F. Tibbott, his private secretary, gets $500 and the Indianapolis Orphan Asylum and the Eleanor hospital each get $500. The fresh-air mission for sick children gets $100. To his daughter, Mary Harrison McKee, he leaves a portrait of her mother, portraits and family relics. To his daughter Elizabeth he leaves some family portraits, medals and relics, together with his gold watch chain, silver toilet set and all his souvenir spoons. To his grandson, Benjamin Harrison McKee, he leaves his watch and chain and his shotgun, to his brother Carter his loyal legion badge and a cane, to be selected by his widow, and to his brother John his gold sleeve buttons and a cane.

LEAVES WIDOW MANUSCRIPTS.

The general said he had had it in mind to make a collection of his manuscripts, papers, badges, medals and other articles that might have a public value and present them to some historical society, but he had not found time to do so, so they are left to his widow and his children.

Russell B. Harrison, his son, is to get the gold menu card presented to him by the citizens of San Francisco and the silver salver given to him on his visit to Utah. Benjamin Harrison McKee gets his watch and chain. His widow gets all the portraits and photographs about the home, his library table, inkstand, shirt studs and all other personal trinkets not otherwise disposed of. In the codicil of the will General Harrison bequeaths $1,000 to the building fund of the First Presbyterian church, of which he was a member. He also notes in the codicil, which was made in February of this year, that since the making of the will his property had increased. He therefore increases the bequest to his wife to $125,000 from $100,000.

WOULD HELP RUSSELL.

Although Russell B. Harrison is left no money, should he survive the widow, who is but a few years his senior, he would receive something, as the will says: "At my wife's death all personal property bequeathed to her is to be divided among my surviving children, the issue of any that may have died taking the parent's share." All the gifts received by his widow are confirmed to her; also silverware, cutlery, etc., belonging to the Harrison house, as are also all articles bought for the house within a period of six months prior to their marriage. She also gets the North Delaware street homestead, valued at probably $30,000, including all horses and vehicles and stable furnishings. Mrs. Harrison is required to file no inventory of property, nor is she required to give bond for its keeping or be liable for loss of the property. To Mrs. Harrison the general also left the summer cottage and grounds, embracing six lots in Herkimer county, N. Y., in the Adirondacks, where he says they have "spent many happy days together."

To his son Russell and to his daughter, Mrs. McKee, he gives all jewelry and trinkets that belonged to their mother; also all articles in the Harrison home that had been presented to her, not including, however, articles of furniture purchased by their mother for the home and paid for by him.

RESIDUE DIVIDED.

All the rest of his estate is left as follows: It is to be divided into as many equal shares as he leaves children, and one additional share for the issue of any child that may have died leaving issue. One such share is given to his son Russell, in trust for the children of Russell, to be used for the support and education of such children. Such portion as is not used before shall be turned over to the child on his becoming of age. In the event of the death of any such children, his share shall be divided among the surviving children.

The second equal share is given to his daughter, Mary Harrison McKee, in fee simple.

A third equal share is left in fee simple to his daughter Elizabeth.

If another child or children should have been born to him, each such child would have had one equal share.

The will was drawn up April 20, 1899, and witnessed by W. H. H. Miller, Harry J. Milligan and Howard Cale.

GREAT TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD.

The University Club of Indiana, of this city, of which General Harrison was president, met yesterday and adopted resolutions on his death. The resolutions close as follows:

"To those who come after us in this club we inscribe upon its records these words: 'Benjamin Harrison, the first president of the University club, was the greatest citizen of his state, the greatest lawyer of his time, the intellectual peer of any man who ever held the presidency of the United States, and one of the wisest and most conscientious statesmen of any age or country.'"

MORTON GIVEN A SENTENCE

WILL NOT MAKE A FIGHT FOR A NEW TRIAL.

A Letter Which Shows That the Thief Had a Long Campaign Laid Out—Court News.

William Morton, convicted yesterday of the robbery of Heersche's saloon last July, on the advice of his attorneys, reconsidered his intention of asking for a new trial and signified his willingness to accept the verdict of the jury and receive his sentence. He was accordingly taken into court this morning, where Judge O'Rourke pronounced a sentence of from one to fourteen years in the penitentiary. He will ask for an interview with his wife and will then be taken to Michigan City. Mrs. Morton, his wife, in all the correspondnce which Morton has had with his confederates, has appeared as advisor. When Morton was in jail at Wheeling, awaiting the arrival of requisition papers to bring him to Fort Wayne, he wrote a long letter to Hugh Arnold, his pal in the Heersche robbery. This letter was subsequently found on Arnold's person when he was arrested at Urichsville, Ohio, for another offense, and was sent to Superintendent Gorsline by the Ohio officers. In the letter Morton tells Arnold that he was pinched and it looked as though they were going to land him for a good, long time. He tells him to go to work and finish up the other jobs, so that he can produce money to fit out his case. The letter gives the location and description of a number of places which the gang had spotted, tells the best time to crack them and always advises the pal to see Mrs. Morton in case of doubt. At one place it says: "Don't forget the saloon in Fort Wayne, where the little old woman goes back in the house for change." This referred to Phil Keintz's place, on Lafayette street. A drug store in Fort Wayne was also referred to as a good place. Another place in the letter read: "Be sure and get that little saloon near the cemetery at Toledo," and referring to a grocery store in North Manchester, he said: "On a Friday between 5 and 6 is the best time." A butcher shop in Marion and a jewelry store in Anderson were also described. Of the butcher shop he said: "The money is in the iron box and the key is always in the box." In the letter were found diagrams of places and the explanations were in all cases very explicit, and for further information the pal was invariably referred to Mrs. Morton. Morton, however, will be out of business now for a number of moons and Mrs. Morton, if she cares to continue in business, must conduct it alone or find new pals, as Arnold is doing six years at Columbus.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

May Foreman, the woman who was found destitute at the railway station and wanted to go to Melrose, Ohio, did not show up at the township trustee's office until late yesterday afternoon. She had previously telephoned and wanted her transportation sent to her at the hotel. The trustee, naturally an obliging individual, drew the line on that and told the woman if she wanted a ticket she would have to come for it. When she came she was immediately recognized as an old customer. She denied it at first, but the clerk pinned her down and finally she acknowledged that she had been there before. She came in one day last fall and said her husband had abused her and she wanted to go to her parents at Knox. This time she wanted to go to her parents at Melrose and the trustee asked her how many sets of parents she had. She admitted that she had been traveling around the country on passes furnished by township trustees. She was given transportation to Melrose, as the trustee did not want her here as a charge on his hands.

The will of Frederick W. Prange was probated today. The widow and children were named as the beneficiaries.

John F. W. Heine has commenced action against Nicholas Ladig et al. to enjoin the sale of real estate.

The court house decorators today invaded the sheriff's office.

William Knepper sues Andrew Craig on a note for $175.

In the superior court today the case of Cohagen vs. Cohagen was dismissed.

In the case of Kuntz vs. Romy et al. Judge Aiken today ordered a decree quieting title.

The Yates divorce case will be heard in the superior court this afternoon.

Judge O'Rourke this forenoon granted Annie Shuey a divorce from Frank Shuey.

The Bransttor will case continues to occupy the attention of the circuit court. It will probably be submitted today.

The county commissioners are in session today for the purpose of receiving bids for supplies for the county farm for the ensuing quarter. The bids will be opened this afternoon.

There was considerable surprise manifested about the court house this afternoon when it became known that Mary Kesler had commenced proceedings for divorce from her husband, Dr. A. J. Kesler. The complaint, which was penned by H. I. Smith, was taken off file and it is understood that in this proceeding, which is preliminary, no sensational charges are made, the allegations being general in character. When the case comes up for trial an amended complaint will be filed and then is when the fur is expected to fly. The amended complaint and the answer thereto are expected to make disclosures which will be startling in some quarters at least.

William Morton was taken to Michigan City by Sheriff Stout this afternoon.

MATCH DECLARED OFF.

New York, March 20.—William L. Marks, representative of John J. Scannell, and Jack Roach, representing Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, met in this city today for the purpose of arranging a match between the trotters, The Abbott and Boralma, but failed to come to terms, and the match was declared off. Mr. Scannell insisted on having three out of five heats, to which Mr. Lawson's representative objected, preferring that four out of seven heats should be the conditions. Mr. Scannell said he was now ready to race his horse, The Abbott, against any horse in the world for $50,000, best three out of five heats, the gate receipts to go to charity.

Miss Addie Flickinger, of Ferguson avenue, is critically ill.

THE MARKETS

Chicago, March 20.—May wheat opened ⅜@½c higher today at 76½@76⅝c under the influence of strong cables, unsettled weather and light northwest receipts. On liquidation the market reacted during the first hour to 76¼c. A spurt to 76¾c was caused by rumors of a clash in China, but when shorts covered the market reacted to 76½c. Local receipts were 61 cars, none of contract grade, while Minneapolis and Duluth reported 278 cars against 227 last week and 554 a year ago.

In sympathy with wheat May corn opened ⅛c to ⅛@¼c higher at 41½@41⅝c, but eased off to 41¼c on liquidation. Local receipts were 252 cars, including 52 cars of contract grade.

May oats opened a shade higher at 25⅝c with wheat and corn, sold to 25⅛@25¼c and eased off to 25@25⅛c. Receipts were 163 cars.

May pork continued its upward course in the provision pit. The whole list opened higher on light hog receipts, an advance at the yards and a good cash demand. May pork started 22½c lower to 27½c higher at $16.50 to $16.55, and advanced rapidly to $16.85; May lard opened 2½c up at $7.82½@7.85, and May ribs 5@7½c improved at $7.67½@7.70.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—March, 75¾c; April, 75c; May, 76⅞@77c.

Corn—March, 40c; May, 41⅜c.

Oats—March, 25c; May, 25⅛c.

Pork—March, $16.75; May, $16.90; July, $15.40.

Lard—March, $7.87½; May, $7.85@7.87½; July, $7.87½; Sept., $7.92½@7.95.

Ribs—March, $7.70; May, $7.70; July, $7.62½; Sept., $7.67½.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.55; No. 1, $1.54; May, $1.53½.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Chicago, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; market generally strong to shade higher. Good to prime steers, $4.85@6.30; poor to medium, $3.45@4.80; stockers and feeders, $2.65@4.65; cows, $2.75@4.35; heifers, $2.75@4.65; canners, $2.00@2.65; bulls, $2.65@4.25; calves, $4.50@6.00; Texas fed steers $4.00@5.00; Texas grass steers, $3.20@4.00; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts today, 20,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 2,150. Market 5@10c higher; top, $6.00. Mixed and butchers, $5.75@5.95; good to choice heavy, $5.85@6.00; rough heavy, $5.70@5.80; light, $5.70@5.90; bulk of sales, $5.85@5.95.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, March 20.—The demand for stocks at the opening was large and well distributed and prices were higher with the exception of a few of the international stocks and specialties. The Grangers, Pacifics and Steel stocks were all notably strong, gains reaching from 1 to 2 points in members of those groups. Dealings in the Steel securities were in the trust certificates of the Steel stocks which were issued on the deposit of those stocks in assent to the steel merger plan.

The demand for stocks was more centralized than it had been of late, and sharp gains were not well maintained. After the first half hour prices were going down with more precipitancy than they had gone up. Before the selling became acute a rise had been made of 1½ to 3 in the Tractions, Brooklyn Transit leading, and 1⅛@2¼ in Rock Island, St. Paul, Northern Pacific and Missouri Pacific. Some of the common and preferred stocks of the Steel group were 3 points higher. At 11 o'clock the market was still on the down grade, with prices materially below the highest and in some instances under yesterday's close. Burlington broke 2¼ to 163¾.

The common steel stocks yielded, but the preferred stocks held. Dealings in the stocks themselves were mostly for cash, the largest trading being in the trust receipts.

As the preferred steel stocks continued to improve in face of the general selling the bulls began to support the railways. St. Paul and Missouri Pacific were advanced to the highest of the morning, touching 153 and 101 respectively. Other stocks hardened, but did not reach their earlier prices.

Consolidated Gas sold up 2¼. Sugar preferred 3¼, Smelting 2½ and the preferred 2. Business became quieter on the rally, and improvements were not well held. Missouri Pacific fell back 1⅜.

Bonds were irregular.

POISON IN THE WHISKY.

San Francisco, March 20.—Mrs. George Kent, wife of a longshoreman, has been arrested on suspicion of having sent to her husband through the mails a bottle of whisky, which, on examination, was found to contain a large quantity of arsenic. The couple had separated. The package containing the poisonous liquid was held by the postal authorities because of the rules forbidding the mailing of liquids. Kent was notified and when he called at the postoffice the bottle was opened, with the result that detectives soon afterward arrested Mrs. Kent. She denies any knowledge of the matter.

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WOOLENS
Scotch Suitings, Confined Novelties.

TOLD BY PAIN

If you have pains you should look after them quickly. Pain shows something is wrong. The sharper the pain the more danger there is in delay. There are thousands of women today who are bearing awful pain almost continually, rather than tell a physician about the shooting pains in their lower abdomen, about the agony of falling of the womb and the distress of leucorrhœa. They let the months pass and their trouble becomes harder to cure and more distressing. But modest women can secure exemption from the embarrassment of a private examination. When pain tells you of danger you can cure yourself by the use of

WINE OF CARDUI

You can be cured without distressing publicity—in the privacy of your home. With these facts before you there is no reason for the delay which is increasing your misery and wasting the days of your life. Why not stop the pain today?

Belen, Miss., March 9, 1900.
I have used one bottle of Wine of Cardui and one package of Thedford's Black-Draught. Before I began to take your medicines I had pains in my back, hips, lower bowels and my arms. Sometimes I thought I would go blind. My head ached and I was so weak I could hardly walk across the floor. Now I can only feel a little of the pain in my side and I am going to use your medicines until I get cured, for I believe they will certainly cure me. I have been married twelve years and am the mother of seven children. I thank you for your wonderful medicine and what it has done for me.
MATILDA SMITH.

For advice and literature address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

FOR WEAK LUNGS

The New
FOR-MAL-DE-HYDE
Treatment.

Never before was there a cure for lung troubles which destroyed the cause. Weak Lungs don't grow strong by themselves; you must heal them and rid them of all disease breeding germs.

DR. GEO. LEININGER'S
FOR-MAL-DE-HYDE
COUGH CURE

is scientifically prepared with Solidified Formaldehyde, the most powerful germicide yet discovered, and under the personal supervision of Dr. Geo. Leininger, one of the most eminent and advanced Lung Specialists in this country who has used this Cough Remedy with wonderful results in his large and extensive hospital work and private practice.

Dr. Geo. Leininger's **Formaldehyde Cough Remedy** is strongly recommended for all serious and stubborn lung troubles. It will cure Consumption, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, La Grippe, Lung Fever, and every other ailment of the pulmonary region. So confident are we it will not disappoint the most sanguine expectation of a single patient, who employs it, that it is sold under a *positive* guarantee, and will cheerfully refund your money if it does not do all we claim for it.

Sold at all druggists on an absolute guarantee at 25cts. for large size bottle, or direct from the Dr. Geo. Leininger Chemical Co., Chicago. Booklet mailed free containing the $250.00 Cash Prize Formaldehyde Riddle.

DR. GEO. LEININGER'S
FOR-MAL-DE-HYDE
INHALER

The guaranteed cure for Catarrh, Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma. Sold at all druggists at 50 cents on an absolute guarantee.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR.

Editor Sentinel: Please announce my name as candidate for mayor, subject to decision of the democratic convention.

HENRY C. BERGHOFF.

FOR CITY CLERK.

Editor Sentinel: Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic convention or primary.

HENRY B. MONNING.

Editor Sentinel:—You will please announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination for the office of city clerk, subject to the decision of the city democratic nominating convention or primary.

AUGUST M. SCHMIDT.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the democratic nomination for city clerk, subject to the decision of the convention. CHARLES W. DITTOE.

FOR COUNCILMEN.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Tenth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election. JOHN ZELT.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the democratic nomination for councilman to represent the First ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary. G. R. HENCH.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my candidacy for the position of councilman to represent the Third ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward, as expressed at the primary.

W. A. ("BURT") ROSS.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce me as a candidate for councilman for the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters at the primary. JOSEPH ZORBUCH.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election. W. C. BAADE.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for renomination for councilman for the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward as expressed at the primary.

PETER J. SCHEID.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the democratic nomination for councilman to represent the Third ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary.

PHILIP J. SINGLETON.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the nomination for councilman from the Fourth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward as expressed at the primary.

JOHN J. BAUER.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward, as expressed at the primary.

JOHN J. O'RYAN.

STEAM EQUIPMENT

BASS COMPANY SECURES IMPORTANT CONTRACT.

POWER FOR ROLLING MILLS

THREE CORLISS ENGINES AND EIGHT BIG BOILERS.

TRAINS IN SNOW DRIFTS

NORTH END OF RAPIDS ROAD TIED UP.

The Bass Foundry and Machine company has been awarded the contract to equip with steam power machinery large new rolling mills at Terre Haute, Ind., the owners of the proposed plant being the Highland Iron and Steel company. The power equipment will consist of three Bass improved Corliss rolling mill engines, 26x30, 32x48 and 30x60-inch cylinders respectively; eight boilers, four of 125-horse power, two 200-horse power and two 225-horse power, and all the fixtures and trimmings necessary to an extensive and complete steam plant. The boilers will be of the Wood water tube pattern, the patents of which were recently purchased by Mr. Bass. Water tube boilers are growing into popularity with manufacturers and owners of steam plants, because they make a powerful plant possible in a space entirely too small for a boiler plant of the desired capacity of the old tubular pattern. The Bass boiler shops now have under construction eight water tube boilers of 250-horse power each, besides numerous orders for tubular boilers and steel tanks. The sale of the boilers and engines to the Highland Iron and Steel company was made by George T. Ladd, the company's traveling salesman, who has just returned from Terre Haute.

NEW SMOKE CONSUMER.

Indianapolis Journal: "J. J. Miller, of the Pennsylvania lines, has invented a new device to solve the smoke and cinder problem of smokestacks of locomotives. It consists of a pipe connection with the smokestack which runs back over the entire passenger train, the sections being connected on the same principle as the air brake. The average diameter of the smokestack of an engine is fourteen inches, the pipe being of the same diameter. The smoke is passed over the entire train and has an escape on both sides of the rear coach at the bottom. In the smokestack there is a vent which is to admit a sufficient amount of air, all in complete control of the engineer. The invention is to serve as a spark arrester, smoke consumer and a distributer of cinders along the roadbed. The device is simple and has already received the consideration of a number of railroad officials."

HABECKER RESIGNS.

Charles W. Habecker, the painter, has resigned his position at the Pittsburg shops and will enter the employ of J. A. Spereisen, of Fairfield avenue, as a wagon and carriage painter. Mr. Habecker has been employed as an engine painter at the Pittsburg shops for the past eight years and is an expert in that line of work.

TRAINS SNOWBOUND.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 20.—All trains on the Grand Rapids and Indiana, Pere Marquette and Michigan Central railroads north of Cadillac to the straights of Mackinaw, are again at a complete standstill. The sleet storm and heavy wind which prevailed in that vicinity yesterday and last night not only blocked all the wheels by drifting the snow and freezing it, but severed all communication as well, the weight of the ice which formed on the telegraph wires breaking them in a number of places. The last news the Grand Rapids and Indiana had from the north was that one passenger train was stalled directly in front of the Mancelona station and that three engines were unable to move it. Soon after this the last wire went down and the general officers here have no knowledge of any of their trains, though they are many hours past due. The officials say the tie-up is the worst of the winter.

CELRO
A REVELATION

FOR CHILDREN

Nothing, that comes in a bottle, is more important for children than Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil. And "important" means that it keeps them in even health, on the highest plane of physical life.

"Do they live on it then?"

No; they don't touch it, except when they need it.

"When do they need it?"

Whenever they show, in whatever way, the least disturbance of even balance of health. It is not for acute diseases, with some exceptions; it is for a slight falling off from first-rate condition.

It is to be used as a food, whenever their usual food does not quite answer the purpose of food.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl street, New York.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

E. T. Campbell, the elevator man at the electric works, is sick again.

C. W. Monahan is the name of a new brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

Frank E. Lininger, a Pennsylvania conductor, is off duty on account of sickness.

Passenger Engineer T. Quinn, of the Pittsburg, is off duty on account of sickness.

Nickel Plate Fireman J. Godfrey, who was sick a week, reported for work yesterday.

Today the large crane was erected at the new steam hammer in the Wabash blacksmith shop.

John Bear, formerly of the Olds wagon works, took a position in the Wabash boiler shops this morning.

Maurice Archibald, an armature winder, has gone to Vincennes, Ind., to repair some electric light machinery.

Peter Walsh, of the Pittsburg boiler shop, has gone to Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the funeral of a relative.

David Roche, who has been sick about a month, was able to take his place in the Wabash boiler shop this morning.

J. H. Symington, superintendent of motive power on the Atlantic Coast line, will retire from that position on April 1.

Engineer James Archart has been assigned to yard duty and is now at the throttle of engine 58 in the Nickel Plate yards.

Master Mechanic G. S. McKee returned at noon today, after a trip over the Detroit and the Buffalo divisions of the Wabash road.

Ed Robertson, who has charge of the shipping work at the Wabash shops, is sick and those duties are being performed by Ed Ehinger.

Passenger Engineer John Bechtol, of the Pittsburg, has taken a lay off of two weeks for the purpose of attending to some private matters.

Conductor T. H. Seaney and Brakemen J. H. Kepler and J. C. Stewart, who were on the sick list, have resumed their duties on the Nickel Plate.

William F. Kramer, molder at the Bass car wheel foundry, is having a handsome porch erected at the front and side of his residence, No. 350 East Wayne street.

A number of United States soldiers, en route from the Philippines to their homes in New York, passed through the city yesterday afternoon over the Nickel Plate.

August C. Roepke, G. F. Kilfoy and Alva A. Sullivan have taken positions in the Pittsburg roundhouse. Mr. Roepke is a machinist and formerly worked at the Fort Wayne electric works.

J. W. Kinnan has been regularly assigned to the position of watchman at the roundhouse entrance to the Pittsburg shops, vice Cornelius Sweeny, deceased. Mr. Kinnan was employed as a caller of train crews for awhile.

C. M. C. Casterline, F. Galland, W. Royhans, C. W. Schermeyer, J. Bossler, L. Knobe, John F. Szink, Henry Beckness, A. Burchard, C. Doehrman and J. Palmer, of the Pittsburg shops, are off duty on account of sickness.

Samuel Wass, jr., of the Rhinesmith & Simonson factory, is sick.

F. B. Lindemuth, who was sick, reported for work in the Pittsburg roundhouse this morning.

William Altekruse, stair builder at the Rhinesmith & Simonson factory, is off duty on account of sickness.

Master Mechanic M. Dunn, of the Dennison shops of the Pennsylvania company, is in the city today on railway business.

Purchasing Agent Frank Brown, of the Pennsylvania company, went to Pittsburg this morning on business for the company.

C. M. Laughlin, who had a finger hurt, and L. J. Miller, who was sick, reported for work at the Pittsburg boiler shop this morning.

Contractor William Rochel this morning commenced work upon a fine house to be erected on East Lewis street for Dick Rodenbeck.

W. S. Cooper, general foreman of the Wabash shops at Springfield, Ill., is in the city to attend the funeral of his mother, whose death occurred Monday.

Conductor H. B. McCardel and Barkeman A. O. Ward, of the Pittsburg, are still unable to take their places in the train service on account of sickness.

Thomas Cavanaugh fell and injured one of his legs yesterday and is unable to work on account of the accident. He is a blacksmith at the Wabash shops.

Charles Schreck and J. White have resigned their positions in the Pittsburg boiler shop and will immediately take up their trade, that of decorative gardening.

William Vogely, who had an ankle sprained three weeks ago, and Henry Coopman, who has been sick a few days, resumed work at the Wabash boiler shop this morning.

The third section of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will serve supper on Saturday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock at No. 140 Calhoun street.

The Pennsylvania expended in 1900 for improvements to roadbed and equipment $125,789,918, against $124,119,563 in 1899 and against $122,371,309 in 1898.

B. F. Franklin has retired from the office of general superintendent of the Clover Leaf road to assume other duties on that line. B. R. Stephens has been appointed general superintendent.

P. J. Singleton, machinist, is absent from his work in the Pittsburg shops today on account of the illness of his wife. W. Vichon, of the same shop, is also absent on account of sickness in his family.

George Hannan resumed his place in the factory of Rhinesmith & Simonson this morning. He was sick three or four days. William Russman, fireman at the factory, also reported for duty after a sickness.

John Ziekgraf, of the Nickel Plate, is in receipt of a letter from his brother, Peter Louis Zeikgraf, who is now a soldier in the Philippines. The writer of the letter was for four years employed in the Bass foundry.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Taylor today moved into a cozy house on East DeWald street, near Calhoun. They recently came here from Danville, Ill. Mr. Taylor is the telegraph operator in Master Mechanic McKee's office, at the Wabash.

Supt. C. S. Sims, of the Chicago terminal division of the Pennsylvania lines, passed through the city yesterday en route to Pittsburg. Several of his Fort Wayne friends met him at the depot and offered congratulations.

All of the iron girders for the addition to the electric works are in their place and the men are now engaged in riveting them. The carpenters have resumed work upon the building and are now putting down some of the floors.

Goshen News: "After the Wabash railway wreck memento seekers allowed their sentimentalities to get away with their better judgment and about all the silverware, plates and everything portable about the dining car was carried off. The company sent a detective on the field last week and he succeeded in recovering many of the articles among people at Millersburg and Berton."

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stapleford, who were here visiting his father, C. E. Stapleford, Nickel Plate car inspector foreman, have returned to their home in Cleveland. A. E. Stapleford is connected with the general freight office of the Nickel Plate.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Berger are today moving from Woodlawn avenue to Baker street, into a very cozy and convenient house. Mr. Berger, who is a Pittsburg engineer, is taking a lay off to supervise the work of transferring his household goods.

The Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie Railroad company has decided to build new and large shops at Greenville, work to commence at once. Citizens of that place have donated a large tract of land and a money bonus to secure the shops.

F. M. Janey, E. L. Tenney, E. A. Jornod, L. M. Kyler, D. Baltzell and C. M. Somers, Pennsylvania employes, have been promoted from firemen to engineers. Road Foreman C. R. Colmey served notice upon them to that effect yesterday.

The wrestpin on the big engine at the electric works broke shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday and the factory was compelled to suspend all machine work until this morning. Mechanics were engaged until 3 o'clock this morning in making the repairs to the engine.

The employes at the electric works received their semi-monthly wages today. Owing to the vastly increased number of men employed at those works pay day there is quite an important event to business men of Fort Wayne, as it means increased trade and lots of money for them.

John Nelson, passenger conductor on the Big Four's Bee-line division, has just completed his forty-first year in service on the line between Indianapolis and Cleveland, the last thirty years as a conductor. He was employed first on the road in running one of the construction trains.

Marvin A. Miller, operator at the Wabash office, fell down the cellar steps at 45 Grand street yesterday and cut a gash in one of his arms which required eight stitches to close. Notwithstanding the severity of the injury, Mr. Miller is able to continue at his duties in the telegraph office.

The Kentucky Central has been completed to a connection with the Illinois Central, to which road it will hereafter be an important feeder. The new line is but twenty miles long, but runs through one of the best sections of Kentucky. On this short connection there are five coal minues, eight tobacco factories and fourteen saw mills.

MUNYON'S COLD CURE

Nearly everybody seems to be taking Prof. Munyon's Cold Cure whenever a cold appears. It relieves the head, nose, throat and lungs so quickly that a cold need no longer be a forerunner of grippe, diphtheria or pneumonia. A vial of the Cold Cure is like a life insurance policy. Every one of his remedies is as sure. Mostly 25c. vial. Guide to Health free. Munyon, New York and Philadelphia.
MUNYON'S INHALER CURES CATARRH.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

FISH WERE SUFFOCATED.

The warm weather of the past few days broke up the ice on Reservoir lake and during the week boys have picked up dead fish aggregating hundreds of pounds in weight along the banks. About five years ago the lake was stocked with fish of various kinds and every year great numbers of them have been suffocated in the mud during the winter months when the ice freezes to the bottom. Owing to the shallowness of the body of water, which averages about a foot in depth, the fish have little chance to survive a severe winter and the cold snap of February must have exterminated nearly all of them. Tuesday a man took out nearly two hundred pounds of fish, some of them two pounds in weight, and many of them were bass and pickerel.

ROYAL PARTY AT GIBRALTAR.

Gibraltar, March 20.—The steamer Ophir, with the duke and duchess of Cornwall and York on board, entered the harbor about 9 o'clock. All the ships in port had previously been dressed, and the royal yacht approached through the fleet, fully manned and with guards of honor and bands paraded amidst salvos of guns, the firing of a royal salute and the strains of the national anthem. The Ophir entered inside the Mole, and shortly afterwards the governor general, Sir Robert Biddulph, and the admirals officially visited the ship. The duke and duchess, with their suites, will land at noon. Decorations at the landing stage and along the streets are universal, and large crowds have gathered.

Grain Kernels are dainty, delicious, economical and healthful; once tried always used.

Bon Ami

Is a perfect metal polish. It is odorless and will not daub the hands or woodwork.

CLEAR COMPLEXION SOFT WHITE HANDS LUXURIANT HAIR PRODUCED BY CUTICURA SOAP.

MILLIONS OF WOMEN USE CUTICURA SOAP, assisted by CUTICURA OINTMENT, for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and healing red, rough, and sore hands, for baby rashes, itchings, and chafings, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery, in baths for annoying irritations, inflammations, and excoriations, or too free or offensive perspiration, in washes for ulcerative weaknesses, and for many sanative antiseptic purposes which suggest themselves to women, especially mothers. No other *medicated* soap is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands. No other foreign or domestic *toilet* soap is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Thus it combines in ONE SOAP AT ONE PRICE, viz. (25c.), the best skin and complexion soap, the BEST toilet and baby soap in the world. Sold throughout the world.

ONCE AGAIN....

AT THE

Wayne Dry Goods Co.

....NOW COMES A....

BIG BLACK SILK CONSIGNMENT SALE

We have not, as yet, seen this stock of Silks that has been sent us, but from our knowledge of the house, we can say, there is no doubt, as to this proving as remarkable a sale for the slaughtering of all prices in Black Silks, as the former sales of fancy or colored Silks were in that line.

The following letter explains itself:

March 13th, 1901.

Wayne Dry Goods Co.,
Fort Wayne, Ind.:

Gentlemen—The great success you have had in disposing of the lot of Fancy Silks sent you has decided us in shipping you a lot of Black Silks.

The consignment consists of 100 pieces and represents nearly every weave made.

We believe if you put them on sale at the prices we have marked them, you can dispose of all of them in a few days. You are at liberty, however if you so desire, to return unsold stock to us at the end of ten days. Yours Very Truly.

We are informed that this stock represents values from $1.00 to $1.50, and the prices made are 69c, 79c, and 89c.

This Great Sale of BLACK SILKS ONLY, Will Open Wednesday Morning, March 20th.

Wayne Dry Goods CO.,

96 Calhoun Street.

LADIES.

G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry street, has a fine line of ladies' cloths for spring suits and jackets. He makes garments to order at lowest prices. 27-tf

Prof. Henry, Clairvoyant, tells past and future, gives information, lost money or friends. Please call at No. 19 West Jefferson. Office, 8 a. m. to 12 m., and 1 to 8 p. m. 18-6t

Will Cunrback, jr., of Indianapolis, is at the New Aveline.

The New Shirts For Spring

Are ready. Come and view the the rich novelties. The most catchy patterns you have ever beheld. Immense line at 50c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00. We have a complete line of both Manhattan and Star Shirts at $1.50 and $2.00. 50 dozen new Neckties just received from Cutter & Crossette. You know we have promised you a new line to select from each week. We lead in Neckwear, Shirts and Hats.

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Of spring goods represents the best of everything that is new and stylish. We offer for your choosing the greatest variety bought so advantageously that prices will be found wonderfully low.

Everything New

In spring silks will be found here and every yard you may be sure is of reliable and dependable quality, and no one sells them at as low prices as we do. It will be a treat for you to see the new Foulards. They are choice in coloring and dainty in style.

Our Carpet Room

Is an interesting place just now. We plan far ahead and plan carefully. We expect to do the carpet business of Fort Wayne and have planned accordingly. The largest and best selected stock, the lowest possible prices and the finest carpet show room in the state ought to enable us to execute our plans greatly to the advantage of our customers.

Our Upholstery Department

With increased room for the display of the most complete stock of

Rugs, Lace Curtains, Draperies, Portieres,

Etc., is showing values that cannot be equalled. Springtime is receiving time, and our upholstery department can be very useful to you.

THE RURODE DRY GOODS CO.

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THE FAMOUS ENGLISH CLAIRVOYANT,
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Ladies, 25c; gentlemen, 50c. 'Phone 1472 Main.

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On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7, Bass Block. 2tf

ATTENTION, MEN!

G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry street, has just received a fine line of spring and summer suitings. 27-tf

The R. and N. society will meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Everett, on East Lewis street.

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OUR TELEPHONES

Business Office..... 173
Editorial Rooms..... 650

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, March 20.—Forecast for Indiana—Threatening and much colder tonight, with snow flurries in north portion; Thursday, fair; high westerly winds.

LOCAL LINES.

Miss Birdie Scherer leaves this evening for Wallaceburg, Canada.

Al Hattersley this morning broke ground for the erection of his new house at the corner of Berry and Lafayette streets.

Miss Blanche Knase entertained a number of her friends at her home Monday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

The Ladies' Aid society of Calvary U. B. church will be entertained at tea tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Frank Optaz, of 141 East DeWald street.

Mrs. August Kutsch, of 295 East Creighton avenue, assisted by Mrs. B. G. Mains and Miss Zelma Kutsch, delightfully entertained the ladies of the T. J. W. club yesterday afternoon. The home was prettily decorated with carnations and ferns, and an elegant three-course luncheon was served.

FRESH SHIPMENT CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS.

California Peaches, halves, 10c lb.
California Pears, halves, 12c lb.
Moore Park Apricots, 12½c lb.
California White Nectarines, 12c lb
California Pitted Plums, 12c lb.
Santa Clara Prunes, small, 5c lb.
Santa Clara Prunes, large, 9c and 12½c lb.
Choice Ruby Prunes, 10c lb.
Choice Muscatel Raisins, 8c lb.
Best Muscatel Raisins, 10c lb.
Choice Blackberries, 10c lb.
New Pitted Cherries, 23c lb.
Evaporated Raspberries, 25c lb.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Dr. W. B. Holden, connected with the Battle Creek Sanitarium, will lecture on the "Gospel of Health" March 23 and 24; evening; in Gospel Tabernacle, corner Holman and Clinton streets. Will give free examinations to patients Sunday at 34 West Washington street.

BEST CALIFORNIA CANNED FRUITS.

California Egg Plums, 16c can.
California Green Gages, 16c can.
California Apricots, 16c can.
California Nectarines, 16c can.
California Pears, 17c can.
California Lemon Cling Peaches, 17c can.
California Yellow Crawford Peaches, 18c can.
California White Cherries, 20c can.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

FREE A full 50c box, one day only, Saturday, March 23. From 9 a. m. To 7 p. m.

At Meyer Brothers & Co., Drug Store, Keystone Block.

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They Cure.

Throbbing, Palpitating Heart.
Sleepless Nights.
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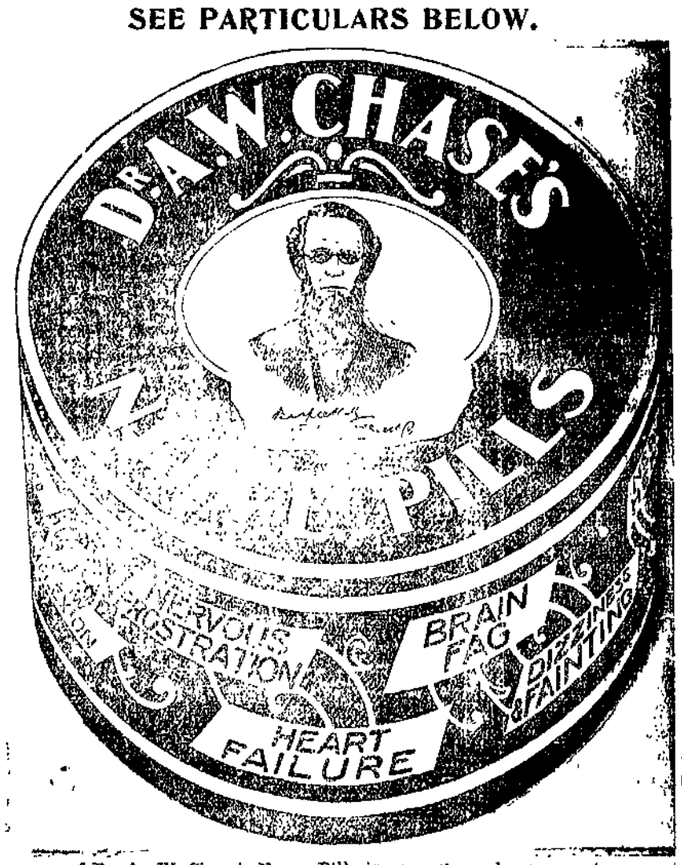
Inability to Work or Think.
Exhaustion on Exertion.
Flagging Appetite.



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Digestion Slow.
Food Heavy.
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Strength Fails.
Trembling Hands and Limbs.
Loss of Flesh.
Loss of Muscular Power.
Irritable, Despondent.

The great success of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills in removing above symptoms makes this Preparation much desired. In order to demonstrate to Fort Wayne people that this Medicine is not of the ordinary sort, a full package will be given free to any sufferer from above symptoms by calling at address given, on date named. Remember it is for people who need them now they are free—not to keep in the house in case they may be needed.

The Only Place in the City.

Remember, this generous offer one day only.

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DRUG STORE.

No One Will be Disappointed.

city.

Lou Wehmeyer, of Kendallville, is in the city.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mueller, of 244 Smith street—a daughter.

Mrs. A. M. VanMeter has returned from a visit with friends at Latty, Ohio.

Rev. Somerville Light, of Bluffton, was in town today, a guest at the Wayne.

J. N. Boyle, a prominent Butler real estate man, is in the city on a business trip.

There will be an important business meetng of the Musicians' union on Sunday afternoon.

The first annual ball of the X. Y. Z. club will be held Friday evening at the Mulqueen Dancing academy.

Willis Hattersley is at Willvale, in the Kankakee swamp, ostensibly slaughtering ducks in large quantities.

The condition of P. L. Potter, the real estate agent, is gradually growing weaker and he cannot survive long.

Harry, the four-year-old son of John Blunker, of Pontiac street, is critically ill, the result of severe hmorrhages of the nose.

Attorney G. F. Felts has returned from Warsaw, where he has been engaged for some time in a damage suit from Columbia City.

Mrs. Blackburn, of 51 East DeWald street, will entertain the ladies of Simpson M. E. church tomorrow afternoon and evening at tea.

The ladies of Plymouth Congregational church will serve dinner from 11 to 1 o'clock tomorrow. An excellent menu will be prepared.

The general committee of the trades and labor fair will meet this vening at the rooms of the Associated Charities at the city hall.

The engagement of Miss Hattie Daniel, of Columbia City, and S. A. Mier, of Ligonier, is announced. Miss Daniel is a niece of Mrs. L. and Mrs. S. Freiburger, of this city.

W. C. McCowan, of New York, is in the city on a business trip, and is a guest at the New Aveline. Mr. McCowan was formerly a Fort Wayne man, and was for some years connected with the Lumbard insurance agency. He is now a traveling salesman.

The secretary of the Visiting Nurse league acknowledges the following donations: "A friend," $20; Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent society, $10; Women's Reading club, $5. The annual meeting of the league will be held in the council chamber some evening next week.

Mrs. Homer Smith, of West Third street, was given a delightful surprise by a party of friends last evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. Progressive pedro was the game of the evening and prizes were won by Miss Carrie Haber and Miss Nettie Racine. The booby was awarded to Mrs. Harrie Wells.

The indications are that the coming meeting of the alumni association of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will be the most largely attended in years. The secretary, Dr. C. E. Barnett, is in daily receipt of many acceptances of invitations for the event, which is held on the day of the college commencement.

The G. E. E. D. club gave its annual reception last evening, about thirty couples being in attendance. The young people were chaperoned by Mesdames Werth, Doerman, Clark and Hall, and the out-of-town guests were the Misses Brown and Smythe, of New Haven, and Gous, of Albion, and Charles Benson, of Springfield, Ill.

Dinner served tomorrow eleven to one o'clock at Plymouth Church, corner Jefferson and Harrison streets.

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HENRY G. SCHULTE DEAD.

A telegram to Robert Kleehn this morning announced the death of his brother-in-law, Henry G. Schulte, which occurred today at his home at Englewood, Ill. The news was a profound shock, as Fort Wayne relatives were not advised of Mr. Schulte's illness. The deceased formerly attended Concordia college in this city, and has many acquaintances in Fort Wayne. He was married to Miss Emily Klaehn in 1883. Mr. Schulte was forty-one years of age, and the widow and four sons survive. He was a lawyer by profession, prominent in Chicago politics, and had held the position of police magistrate and justice of the peace at Englewood. Mr. Klaehn will go to Chicago tonight.

NEW COMPANY STARTS.

Workmen have begun breaking ground along the river at the foot of Harrison street for a new carpet cleaning establishment to be erected there, occupying a building 28x62 feet in size. It is to be known as the Wayne Pneumatic Carpet Cleaning company, and the proprietors are to be G. A. Koehlinger and Fred Stickley. The latter gentleman has for some years been connected with the Zimmer company. Machinery for the new concern is already on the way, and it is expected that the company will be doing business by April 1. Mr. Koehlinger says the methods to be used are entirely new, and that the establishment will be one of the most complete in the state.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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SOUSA CONCERT ON MARCH 21.

Sousa will give a concert tomorrow evening at the Temple with his full band and soloists. It is quite unnecessary to ask what he will play, for every Sousa concert is sure to be strongly characteristic, which means that its unique flavor and spirited action are peculiarly and essentially Sousa's own. It is sufficient to add that the concert will present a program of Sousa's best selections and will contain much that is new, as novelties are being constantly added to the band's repertoire. The soloists are Miss Blanche Duffield, soprano; Miss Bertha Bucklin, violinist. The band soloists are Arthur Pryor, trombone; Herbert L. Clarke, cornet; Walter B. Rogers, cornet; Franz Helle, fluegelhorn, and Simone Mantia, euphonium. Pryor will appear here.

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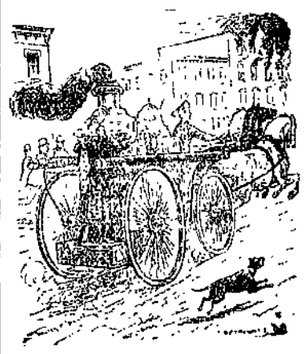

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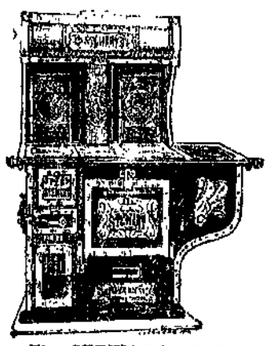

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PLOTS UNCOVERED

CONSPIRACIES TO KILL THE CZAR ARE LEARNED.

NICHOLAS' NARROW ESCAPE

JOURNEY TO A BALL TO HAVE BEEN HIS DEATH.

PLOTTERS WERE ARRESTED

SECOND PLOT REVEALED MAN WITH A BOMB.

Berlin, March 20.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tagblatt says he has learned of two separate conspiracies to assassinate the czar. The first attempt was planned to be made on the occasion of the jubilee ball of the naval cadet corps, which the czar had promised to attend. His majesty was ready to start and was awaiting his carriage when Governor General Kleigles arrived at the palace and informed him that he must not go, several auspicious persons belonigng to the revolutionary party having been arrested at the Nicolai bridge with arms and forged passports. He informed his majesty that the prisoners were probably emissaries of the central nihilist committee at Zurich. The visit was accordingly abandoned.

The second affair occurred in the middle of January, when the czar, accompanied by his mother, visited the Cerematic exhibition. When entering one of the rooms the members of the committee, who were escorting the imperial party, suddenly noticed an unknown man hurriedly appracching the czar. As the public had been excluded and those authorized to attend has been carefully selected, the presence of the stranger excited suspicion. Several of the czar's party hastened to meet him to lead him away.

Thereupon the man auspiciously thrust his hand in a pocket. He was instantly seized. When he was searched a bomb was found in his pocket.

ADJOURNED UNTIL SATURDAY.

There was but a small attendance at the meeting of farmers at the city hall this afternoon to consider the proposition of the Continental Sugar company, of Cleveland, regarding the cultivation of sugar beets in Allen county. President Alexander Johnson, of the county agricultural association, presided, and explained the offer of the company to pay $3.75 per ton for the beets weighed here. Farmers present were then called upon to pledge tracts for the cultivation of this crop, and about sixty acres were so pledged. Two hundred acres is the minimum required, and the meeting adjourned until Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

An affidavit was filed in Huser's court today against Charles Parent, living near Robison park, charging him with selling liquor without a license.

Bertha Chapman, of Perry township, files an affidavit against her father, Solomon Chapman, charging him with assault and battery. Justice Huser will hear the case.

Justice Bullerman this morning performed the marriage ceremony for Charles H. Glessner and Rosetta E. Kemp.

WAS ANOTHER OF SAME NAME.

The Peter Neuman who was arrested a day or two ago for participation in a fight was not Peter Neuman, of 44 West Leith street. The latter is employed at the Fort Wayne electric works and is a young man of good reputation.

SUICIDE OF A TENOR.

St. Louis, Mo., March 20.—H. Charles Humphreys, tenor singer, leader of the choir at the Second Baptist church and a well known society man, committed suicide in his studio today. The cause for the act is unknown. The revolver with which the fatal shot was fired lay beside the body, which had fallen in front of the piano. Mr. Humphreys, who was 32 years old, was well known in musical circles throughout the country as an oratorio singer.

BLIZZARD IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

St. John's, N. F., March 20.-A furious blizzard has been sweeping the whole seaboard since last night. This morning the sealer Southern Cross, which arrived here yesterday, was forced into the harbor of Perlican in danger of swamping on account of the heavy load of 26,500 seals on board. Much anxiety is felt for the remainder of the sealing fleet, which must have felt the full fury of the gale. In such event, with over 400 men scattered about the ice fields, disaster might ensue, as only too frequently happens. The anxiety will not be relieved until another steamer arrives with later reports.

HOTEL IS BURNED.

Kenova, W. Va., March 20.—The Grand hotel, owned by Wright Bros., was burned early today. All the guests escaped uninjured. Loss, $40,000; partially insured. The saw and planing mills of Davis & Lenon were burned a few hours earlier, entailing a loss of $50,000, with no insurance.

FROM COMMISSIONER TAFT

REPORTS ENCOURAGING PROGRESS IN PHILIPPINES.

Many Provinces Have Been Organized for Civil Government—People Are Enthusiastic.

Washington, March 20.—Secretary of War Root today received the following cablegram from Judge Taft, chairman of the Taft commission in the Philippines, dated Iloilo:

"Have organized Taybas, Roblom, including Cablas, Sibuan and smaller islands and Masbate, including Tiers and Buri. I visited Mamduque, initiated organization of municipalities there and will organize province before returning. Receptions most enthusiastic. After visiting Negros shall go to Jolo and Mindanao; returning shall organize Iloilo, Capiz, Antique, Cebu, Bohol and Leyte.

"Shall probably organize Zamboanga and Misamis. Marked improvement in general situation."

COMMISSION AT ILOILO.

Iloilo, Island of Panay, March 19.—The Philippines commission was welcomed on its arrival here by General Hughes and his staff, and cadres were duly organized by the federalists and a gathering of citizens.

Iloilo province is prepared for organization and the other provinces, it is believed, will be ready by the time the commission returns from the south. Panay is nearly pacified.

The commission then formally examined the position of Panay and tomorrow the members will proceed to Negros, where they will remain three days.

NEW PROVINCE FORMED.

Iloilo, Island of Panay, March 20.—(By mail from Palanog, Island of Masbate, March 18.)—The islands of Masbate, Ticao and Burias, with a population of forty thousand, were today constituted the province of Masbate.

Masbate Island has been impoverished by the rinderpest, which has killed the cattle, the raising of which is almost the sole industry of the inhabitants. The people welcome the idea of a civil government and promise to extend their timber and agricultural operations.

For reasons of economy the commission has decided upon no salaries for the provincial officials. Senor Serrano, a native, has been appointed governor of the province; George Landres, a New York soldier, supervisor, and Lieutenant Snyder, of the Twenty-seventh infantry, treasurer. The duties of the fiscal of Romblon will be extended to the Masbate province.

Arrangements have been made for the establishment of schools, of which there have heretofore been practically none in the province.

The ladrones are the only insurrectionists remaining in Masbate.

TENNESSEE TOWN BURNS.

Nashville, Tenn., March 20.—Tiptonville, Lake county, was partially destroyed by fire during the night. Loss estimated at $75,000; partially insured.

NEW JERSEY APPORTIONMENT.

Trenton, N. J., March 20.—Governor Voorhees today signed a bill dividing New Jersey in ten congressional districts.

A few members of the C. C. C. club and their gentlemen friends reminded Merlin Kanags of his seventeenth birthday last evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

A CLASH AT ARMS

REPORTED BETWEEN BRITISH AND RUSSIANS.

IS DISCOUNTED IN LONDON

DOUBT THAT A FIGHT HAS OCCURRED IN CHINA.

RUSSIA MOBILIZES FLEET

WARSHIPS BEING HURRIED TO KOREA.

London, March 20.—4:50 p. m.—The officials of the foreign office here have received no information of an outbreak of Russian-British hostilities at Tien Tsin. Their latest advices thence say the position remains the same.

The rumor (credited by a news agency to the London stock exchange and published in New York) that the British and Russians had fired at each other at Tien Tsin has not even reached the leading stock exchange firms, nor have any declines occurred, which the circulation of such a rumor would create.

RUSSIA MOBILIZING FLEET.

Shanghai, March 20.—A dispatch to the China Gazette from Tokio, March 20, says that all the Russian warships in Japanese waters have sailed for Korea, and the Russian squadron is mobilizing for an immediate departure to the Korean coast.

RUSSIA IS FIRM.

New York, March 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Tien Tsin says

Count Von Waldersee while here yesterday had long and separate conversations with the Russian and English commanding generals. He orally renewed the proposition which had been made by telegraph and which the Russians had declined to entertain.

General Wogack declined to discuss the question of ownership until the British had withdrawn from the ground claimed by Russia and occupied by his forces.

General Campbell stated that under his instructions he could not withdraw from the position.

The deadlock, therefore, continues. Count Von Waldersee is visibly depressed at the failure to arrange the question, the seriousness of which he seemed fully to realize. After an hour he returned to Pekin.

There has been much fighting during the day between French and English soldiers, but up to the present there have been no serious results.

General Voyron has ordered out gendarmes, who, together with the Australians, are now guarding the settlement and preventing French soldiers from entering.

General Campbell has received the approval of the government in his view of the dispute with the Russian commander here and is holding his ground under orders from London.

Count Von Waldersee's proposal, which General Wogack declined to entertain, was that the disputed territory be turned over to a neutral guard, the British and Russians simultaneously withdrawing, pending legal investigation of the questions involved.

British officers maintain that if, as is rumored, Russian troops are being hurried to Tien Tsin from Port Arthur, the British government will regard their arrival as a hostile movement on the part of Russia.

GEN. WOGACK'S STATEMENT.

General Wogack has made the following statement of the Russian position for the Herald:

"The question over which we unhappily are at odds is not whether the disdputed ground belongs to us or to the Chinese government, or to the railway company, but whether the English will make good their trespass.

"At the time the British attempted to take possession the ground was protected by Russian flags and a clearly deliminated boundary of stone. These flags were overturned and thrown away by a working party of Bengal pioneers and coolies, who went on with their work until driven off by our guards.

"Before we can discuss the question of ownership the British, who are still to some extent on our ground, must withdraw. Once the British have withdrawn I am sure the Russian imperial government will ignore all previous regrettable violence and listen in a most friendly spirit to whatever the British government may have to say regarding the definite possession of the disputed territory.

"No sane person can for an instant doubt that had the English requested permission to build a switch or side track on our ground it would have been immediately granted.

"Unfortunately, however, they sought their ends by forcible means. The British troops must be withdrawn from Russian territory. There can be no other settlement."

VON WALDERSEE HOLDS ALOOF.

Tien Tsin, March 20.—A dust storm prevented Count Von Waldersee, who arrived here yesterday from Peig for Pekin, until this morning. General Lorne Campbell, the English commander, and General Wogack, commanding the Russians, met Count Von Waldersee upon his arrival here. Learning that both had received instructions from their governments, Count Von Waldersee said it was useless for him to give even an opinion regarding the matters at issue.

It is the general feeling in Tien Tsin that trouble is not likely to reach a point where blood will be shed.

Both detachments on guard have orders to do nothing aggressive unless forced to do so by the other. Except the army and camp followers the only Russians now residing here are the members of the consular staff, two clerks and two Jews, who are running stores, and who left Russia in order to save their lives.

There are now being offered inducements to move to the Russian concession.

The French concession is quiet. French gendarmes are on duty at the British concession to prevent the soldiers from trespassing and Australian naval brigade men are preventing the sikhs from invading the French concessions.

Ninety British marines arrived here last night from the Taku forts to replace the Indian guards on the disputed land. The fusiliers are expected today.

A special train bearing reenforcements of Australian troops left Pekin for Tien Tsin at 10 o'clock this morning.

One French, an Italian and a German warship are outside the bar.

General Lorne Campbell upon hearing of the death of ex-President Harrison ordered all the British flags to be flown at half-mast.

THOMPSON IS NOT ELECTED

CURIOUS RESULT IN FIGHT FOR SENATORSHIP.

Nebraska Republicans Make Him a Caucus Choice, But Did Not Go Far Enough.

Lincoln, Neb., March 20.—D. E. Thompson, of Lincoln, who was last night nominated for United States senator for the short term by the republican caucus, failed of election in the joint session of the house and senate today.

The caucus, under the rules of which Thompson was nominated, adjourned without nominating a candidate for the long term, thereby invalidating the nomination it already had made. The caucus call is that both senators should be nominated at the same session. Another caucus will be held this evening. In spite of this, today's ballot showed considerable change. Rosewater had nearly twice the number of votes previously polled and D. E. Thompson reached his high mark.

The ballot: Allen, 54; W. H. Thompson (fusion)' 42; Hitchcock, 14; Hinshaw, 8; D. E. Thompson, 56; Rosewater, 29; Meikeljohn, 20; Crounse, 10; scattering, 5; necessary to choice, 63.

PILFERING OF MAILS.

Washington, March 20.—Director General of Posts Cotterman, of the Philippines, has reported to the post office department that within the past few months a great many complaints have been received at Manila indicating pilfering of the mails. Most of the mail dispatched from the Philippines, as well as that received, originates at army posts, where there is no regular post office. Much of this mail is carried between the army posts and the nearest post office in tie sacks on pack trains. The report goes into detail regarding the necessity for imprints on the wax seals of mail sacks as recommended by the director general in a report received yesterday.

TAKES DARK VIEW

WESTMINSTER GAZETTE ON BOTHA'S REFUSAL TO

SURRENDER TO KITCHENER

CONNECTS REFUSAL WITH THE TROUBLE IN CHINA.

THE BOER WAR NOT YET OVER

BOERS SHOT BY THE BRITISH FOR TREASON.

London, March 20.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon makes pessimistic comment on General Botha's refusal to accept the peace terms offered by Lord Kitchener, and connects this refusal with the situation in China.

The Gazette says the powers are at sixes and sevens in the far east and that any day may see the commencement of a struggle from which the Boers may recover their own.

The failure of those peace negotiations means that the military position in South Africa is not yet decisive.

SHOT FOR TREASON.

Cape Town, March 20.—J. P. Minaber, S. Minaber and J. A. Neuwoudt were shot at DeAar last evening for treason and murder in pursuance of the sentence of a court martial. The death sentence was passed a week ago, in connection with the wrecking of a train near Taasbosch, by which five men were killed. General Kitchener confirmed the verdict. The garrison was paraded and the prisoners were led out at sunset. Death was instantaneous. A Dutch minister and relatives remained with the prisoners till the end. Two others concerned in the train wrecking were sentenced to five years at penal servitude.

IN POLICE CIRCLES.

Business continues good at the city hall in police circles. The number of arrests was not so large last night but the victims were judiciously selected and all produced the ready cash to mollify outraged society and justice. The police this time called at the emporium presided over by Lillian Frey, at No. 9 Harrison street, and gathered in two men and two women. Miss Lillian put up $21 and the balance put up $16 each. All this was swallowed by the pleas of guilty entered at court. There are still a few places left which have not made their semi-occasional settlement, but the turn of most of them will probably come soon. The Clinton-Superior street joint will probably be exempted as usual.

Superintendent Geraline is in receipt of a letter from Evansville giving the description of a smooth swindler who operated the palmist-clairvoyant racket to the tune of $5,000 at that place. His method was similar to that of Professor Wentworth and lady, who fleeced a couple girls out of $50 and some diamonds in this city recently.

Joseph Hayr, a half-demented fellow who belongs at the poor farm, was picked up by the police last night. The officers at the county infirmary were notified and they came to town and claimed him this morning. He was arrested several weeks ago and let go.

LIBEL CASES ON TRIAL.

London, March 20.—The libel actions brought before the Star and Morning Leader by Arthur Chamberlain, the son of Joseph Chamberlain, and Auneville Chamberlain, a son of Arthur Chamberlain, in connection with war office contracts, was begun today in the king's bench court before the lord chief justice, Lord Alverstone. The plaintiffs claim damages for serious attacks on their commercial integrity, including the statement that they have stooped to improper means in order to obtain contracts against the interests of the public service. The defendants pleaded that their articles did not libel the plaintiffs and were fair comment on matters of public interest. The case of Arthur Chamberlain was first taken up.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

Oberlin, Ohio, March 20.—Robbers early today blew open the safe in the postoffice here and escaped with everything of value. A young man who slept in the building was found this morning lying on the floor of the office bound and gagged. He is unconscious and it is believed was drugged by the cracksmen. The amount taken will not be known until the postoffice inspector arrives. There is no clew to the identity of the robbers.

ILLITERACY BILL PASSES.

Annapolis, Md., March 20.—The new election bill, having for its object the practical disfranchisement of most of the 50,000 illiterate voters of the state, passed the senate shortly after midday. It was immediately sent to the house, where all the amendments made by the senate were concurred in, and the bill passed. It is now ready for the governor's signature.

THE ABBOTT HAS BEEN SOLD

WORLD'S CHAMPION TROTTER BRINGS $40,000.

Purchase is Conditional on Match Made for a Race With Boralma for $25,000 a Side.

New York, March 20.—The sale of the world's champion trotter, The Abbott, 2:03¼, for $40,000, to Fred Gherken, has been practically completed, according to the Times.

The purchase, however, is conditional. One stipulation on which hangs the transfer of the fastest trotter in the world is that the match which Mr. Lawson has challenged for must be made before The Abbott is removed from the stable of his present owner, Fire Commissioner John J. Scannell.

Mr. Gherken and Mr. Scannell are thoroughly in earnest in the matter and the former's check for $40,000 was written ready to be paid to The Abbott's owner as soon as the match race with Boralma was made.

As one of Mr. Gherken's assistants said last night, Mr. Gherken had made a sportsman's proposition and had agreed to play The Abbot for a big price on the chance of winning back a great share of the purchase price on the match race. His plan calls for him to risk $65,000 in the cost of the horse and the amount of the bets. The Abbott is to be trained for the match by Trainer Ed Geers, who developed the horse for the Hamlins, of the Village farm.

A. W. WISHARD REAPPOINTED

AGAIN MADE FEDERAL ATTORNEY FOR INDIANA.

Henry C. Pettit, of Wabash, Appointed United States Marshal for Indiana District.

Washington, March 20.—Albert W. Wishard, of Indianapolis, was today reappointed by the president to be United States district attorney for Indiana. Mr. Wishard has held the office for four years.

The president today also appointed Henry C. Pettit, of Wabash, to be United States marshal for the district of Indiana, to succeed Samuel C. Kitcheval.

A COURTLY FUNCTION.

Paris, March 20.—The minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, gave a luncheon today in honor of Earl Carrington and the other members of the British mission appointed by King Edward to announce officially to the French government and to other governments the deaths of Queen Victoria and his majesty's accession to the throne. The British ambassador, Sir Edmund J. Monson, and the staff of the British embassy, the representatives of France at the queen's funeral, and the officials of the foreign officers were present.

TWICE ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Elwood, Ind., March 20.—Grief over slights received from other young people in the neighborhood induced Rebecca Locke, eighteen years old, to attempt suicide last Saturday by taking carbolic acid, but her mother interfered in time to save her life. Yesterday she procured morphine and swallowed it, and at this hour her condition is serious.

FATHER JUST MEETS DEATH.

Laporte, Ind., March 0.—Information has been received of the death at Austin, Tex., of Rev. Father Just, formerly of St. Mary's church, Michigan City, and a well-known priest of the Fort Wayne diocese. The death was accidental, caused by a fall in which his neck was broken.

GLAD TO GIVE UP

MUTINOUS KANSAS CONVICTS YIELD TO GUARDS.

WERE ROUNDED UP IN MINE

DETAINED KEEPERS SENT TO THE SURFACE.

CONVICTS WERE FAMISHED

TWO WERE WOUNDED BY STRAY SHOTS IN MINE.

Leavenworth, Kas., March 20.—Two convicts of the Lansing penitentiary were wounded last night by the guards who went down into the penitentiary mine to subdue 284 prisoners who entered the colliery Monday and refused to come out until their demands for better food were granted.

All the convicts were run down in various parts of the workings by a heavy detail of guards, who descended the shaft shortly before midnight. A volley was fired when the bottom was reached, with the intention of intimidating the mutineers. It is supposed that stray bullets hit two of the convicts. Neither was seriously hurt, however, and the volley effectually subdued the others, who were almost famished and apparently glad to get off so easily.

They scattered through the workings, leaving the fifteen guards whom they had overpowered and held as hostages. The latter were quickly hoisted to the surface and the work of rounding up the convicts began. Fast as they were caught they were taken up and before morning all were securely locked in their cells at the penitentiary.

They had been practically without food for twenty-four hours and at daybreak were given only a cup of coffee and a few slices of bread.

Warden Tomlinron announces that he will severely punish the leaders.

The wounded men are Ralph Clark, under a twenty-year sentence for highway robbery, who will lose an arm, and Alfred Hatfield, serving ten years for manslaughter. Hatfield received a flesh wound in the leg.

CONTRACTS FOR TOWERS.

Kendallville, Ind., March 20.—The Flint and Walling Manufacturing company, of this city, manufacturers of the Star windmill, will erect the tower at the entrance of the government building at the Pan-American exposition. The tower will be 180 feet high. The Flint and Walling company has the contract for erecting all government towers.

WILL RETIRE FROM MINISTRY.

Richmond, Ind., March 20.—Rev. W. E. McCarty, pastor of the Third M. E. church, this city, will retire from the ministry at the coming session of the North Indiana conference. He has been actively engaged in the ministry for forty years, and is now about seventy years old.

LOCAL LINES.

The Ladies' Aid society of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robertson, 21 Pine street.

Rev. J. Webster Bailey will address the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon from a passage of the book of Esther, and requests those who will attend to make a study of the book.

Great preparations are being made by the ladies of No. 2, Degree of Honor, for their supper and carnival Saturday evening. The ladies will have booths, where aprons and fancy work will be displayed in great variety. The carnival will be held at Maccabee hall, 107 Calhoun street.

Word was received in this city of the death of John H. Stein, a soldier of the Fourteenth United States infantry, now stationed at Manila. Inquiry made today of the war department in Washington elicits the information that up to a few days ago the young man was all right. His parents reside in Fort Wayne.

A pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Joe A. Orr, 130 Mechanic street, last evening, the occasion being Mr. Orr's thirty-fourth birthday anniversary. A large number of his friends were there and a number of valuable presents were bestowed. Cards and music furnished enjoyment and at midnight luncheon was served.

CANCER

Sufferers from this horrible malady may always inherit it—not necessarily from the parents, but may be from some remote ancestor, for Cancer often runs through several generations. This deadly poison may lay dormant in the blood for years, or until you reach middle life, then the first little sore or ulcer makes its appearance—or a swollen gland in the breast, or some other part of the body, gives the first warning.

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Cancer begins often in a small way, as the following letter from Mrs. Shirer shows:

"A small pimple came on my jaw about an inch below and to the left side of my face. It gave me no pain, since the appearance of it I should have thought it had a little redness, but no hardness and further it would bleed a little when I wipe over it but would heal. This continued for some time, when my jaw began to swell, becoming very painful. The Cancer became larger and larger and hard, and when I heard of S. S. S. I determined to try it. At first, I thought it was doing the sore no good, which was discouraging, but I persisted, and from the very beginning the sore began to heal. In a few weeks it had entirely disappeared, and this was two years ago; there are still no signs of the cancer, and my general health is good."—Mrs. E. Shirer, La Plata, Mo.

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MRS. BOOTH'S STRONG PLEA

TALKED TO GREAT AUDIENCE LAST NIGHT.

The most successful lecture of the people's course of the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ was given at the church last evening when Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth lectured on "The Lights and Shadows of Prison Life." The church was packed, and it was necessary to call many chairs into requisition to accommodate the audience. Mrs. Booth is in many respects a most remarkable woman. She has a clear enunciation, a fluency of speech and the magnetic qualities which have won for her among the convicts in the many prisons she is interested in the title of "Little Mother." She is a woman of culture and refinement, of great personal charms, and has a way of addressing her audience that inspired a kindred feeling for the unfortunate men in whose cause she so earnestly labors. Mr. and Mrs. Booth possess independent means, and not one cent of the money derived from her lectures is for their private use. The money goes to maintain homes for ex-convicts in different parts of the United States.

She was the guest of Hon. T. E. Ellison, who introduced her last evening with a few preliminary remarks touching on the relation of society to convicts and ex-convicts, and the habit of "kicking a man when he's down," in other words, refusing to give an ex-convict a chance to earn an honest living and prevent him from returning to crime in order to get a living. Mrs. Booth said in part:

"It is a great pleasure for me to speak on the theme dearest to my heart. When I took up prison work and began to understand the real conditions I felt that I must devote my whole efforts to helping these unfortunate men, not only while they are in prison, but when they get out. The case was to me, as a magnet; one pole drawing me to the prison to do what I could there, the other repelling me, as it were, urging me to go into the world and make people see the case in the right light. When I first addressed a prison audience it appealed to my sympathies, and I felt as though I never wanted to speak to another audience. When I came in touch with the prisoners and understood their cases, I felt that I wanted to immure myself in prison and devote myself to their betterment.

"It is difficult for me to make people who walk in the sunny paths of the free outside world understand the cases of those in the shadows. If we could but change places with these men we could realize, and be more sympathetic. In taking up their work I have laid myself open to criticism. I have been called a sickly sentimentalist and people say I talk from my own standpoint. I don't come out and whitewash convicts and say they are abused or that their jail should be a place where they should have all the comforts of life and retire from the world during their term of imprisonment. I believe that sin should be punished and that there should be a good prison discipline. The conditions that exist are responsible for a great per cent of the criminals in prisons today. When a convict is discharged and starts out to find honest work can he find it? Very seldom. People point the finger of scorn at him and say he is an ex-convict and they can't trust him. He has no recourse but to return to his criminal pursuits and he is soon back in prison, while these people complacently smile and say, 'I told you so.' Yes, they are the ones who are responsible for it, and yet they wonder why there are so many criminals, and why, when they get out, that they do not return and live honest lives.

"I do not argue with these people; it is useless. But I say these men are my brothers and are deserving of aid. Every man or woman who call themselves in the name of Christ cannot gainsay that these men are still our brothers. Could these people but know what goes on behind prison walls, could they hear the cry, 'Is there no hope for me in this world?' wrung from anguished hearts, and see the hopelessness, the bitterness and the irony, they would not withhold a helping hand. The day has come when the churches should realize that prisons are stains on the pure banner of Christ. We must prove that the prison is a step from evil to a better life. I think that the parole system and the indeterminate sentence in the state of Indiana is a wise provision, for it is an incentive to good behavior. How much better it is than the law that does not let them out until the prison life has left its stain upon them.

"I have been appalled at the number of people who know nothing of the needs within the prison walls. They feel that it is a sore spot that should not be probed. People have sought to deter me and they say, 'Once a convict, always a convict.' That statement is more of a reflection on God than on humanity, for if God can save a hypocrite in the church he can just as well cleanse the heart of a convict. Sometimes I think that it would be easier to pardon some of the convicts than to pardon those in the free world who live on, committing crimes for which no punishment is meted out.

"It is but too true that the condition of society is responsible for our state prisons. There is too much of the spirit of the elder brother and less of the spirit of the father. The popular idea of saving a criminal is to tell him the story of the prodigal son, to kneel down and pray with him and then tell him to go forth in the world and live honestly. I recently received from a convict, commissioned by his fellows, a letter to me a little thinking my address to them in prison, and particularly thanking me for leaving out the story of the prodigal son. They don't like to have their religion doled out to them and they do not relish being placed in a case. The spirit of the elder brother, clad in his robes of righteousness, stands aloof and looks with great disapproval on the father who greets the prodigal son with open arms. A man who has been discharged from a prison is a free man in the eyes of the law, but in the eyes of the public he is an ex-convict. When one man had paid the penalty of his crime, what right have we to refuse him a chance to do right? The title of ex-convict is as bad as the title of convict. This manufactures habitual criminals. When a man is discharged and goes forth with the desire to do right he cannot. The people and the newspapers dig into the grave of the past and unearth the skeleton of his crime which they shake before his eyes. Some of the state prisons turn a man out with a suit of prison clothes and a dollar. How long will that dollar last? The man under favorable conditions could not secure work in less than a week, and maybe it would be ten weeks. With one dollar, or five dollars, or even ten dollars, how can that man live honestly until he finds employment? Branded as an ex-convict he goes forth and every one of whom he seeks work refuses him. His money is soon gone, and he becomes hopeless and desperate. Is it any wonder he returns to crime? One of the convicts in the state prison of Massachusetts was convicted in prison and when he was discharged he went forth with the earnest desire to lead an honest life. Week after week he sought work, willing to labor for food alone, but he was an ex-convict and he was turned down everywhere. At last, faint with hunger, he was found on Boston Common by a burglar who took him to his room and nursed him through a long illness back to health. His rescuer and a number of friends were planning a burglary one night, and they lacked one man as a picket. The young fellow offered his services, but the others sought to deter him and urged him to live an honest life. Turning to his benefactor he said, 'Who was it that found me and helped me and nursed me when I was sick? Was it honest people among whom you would have me live? No, it was criminal; you helped me, and I should do something in return.' He acted as a picket that night and was arrested for a burglary and sent to prison for a long term and the good people said, 'I told you so.'

"I realize that these men must work out their own salvation. We can do much for them, but the key to the situation lies within the hearts of the men themselves. They must have an ambition to better themselves, and must prepare for liberty. Realizing this we formed the Volunteer Prison League, which is a branch of the Volunteers of America. The movement grew out of circumstances, and from a desire to bring to the men a message from my heart. When I saw these men standing in prison before their fellows and declaring themselves to be willing to try and do better, I felt the need of an organization to assist them in their good intentions. Hence the Volunteer Prison League. In order to join the men must agree to keep a set of promises. Each is then given a white button with a blue star and the motto, 'Look Up and Hope.' A blue standard with a white star is given each post. There are now over 10,000 convicts in the league. The members have to adhere strictly to the rules for they are closely watched by the non-member fellow-convicts who would quickly detect any backsliding and then woe betide him from the other members of the league.

"I realized that assistance outside the prison must be of a practical nature. I knew that these men would not care to adhere to the league in prison or desire to lead honest lives when they came out unless they had something to look forward to. So we secured a house in New York, fitted it up like a home and made the surroundings as congenial as we could. There was no suggestion of cavalry. The beds had white sheets, the bedrooms had cheery colored paper on the walls and contained pretty pictures. The tables had white spreads and the dishes were not coarse. Why is it that when we feed the poor we cover the rough tables with oilcloth and give them coffee in thick cups? We do not do this at Hope hall, the name of the home. We have since purchased a large property near Flushing, where all the comforts of home are provided, and 'my boys,' as I call them, can come with the knowledge that they can stay as long as they please. They never take advantage of me. They take pride in the home, which is now in a most prosperous condition. Over 1,500 ex-convicts have passed through it and we are proud to say that no crime has ever been traced back to any one that has ever sojourned at Hope hall."

VISITS MANY COUNTRIES.

W. C. Bishop, of 515 Lafayette street, has received a very interesting letter from his brother, Harry Bishop, written from North Luzon on January 30. Harry Bishop has a position in the civil services which necessitates extensive travels in China, Japan, the Philippines and other Oriental countries. He was in Pekin during the battle between the Ninth infantry and the boxers, and Bishop describes the Chinese as the most ingenious people, not excepting the Yankees, and possessing great skill as farmers. The Chinese farmers train monkeys to climb the mountains to pick tea, and he states that the finest known blends of tea come from Pekin. Mr. Bishop is of the opinion that the Filipinos are not below the Chinese in intelligence, and his comparisons would tend to show that our new fellow countrymen are very undesirable neighbors. In his phraseology "they are the poorest, 'dumbest,' the most cowardly, treacherous and murderous" lot of people he has ever seen. He says that they were willing to work for ten and one-half cents a day, American money, under the Spanish régime, but they think Americans made of money, and demand twenty-five cents a day for labor. Mr. Bishop was in Sydney, Australia, and visited the diamond fields in that country. He expects to be home in the course of a year, and will come by way of England.

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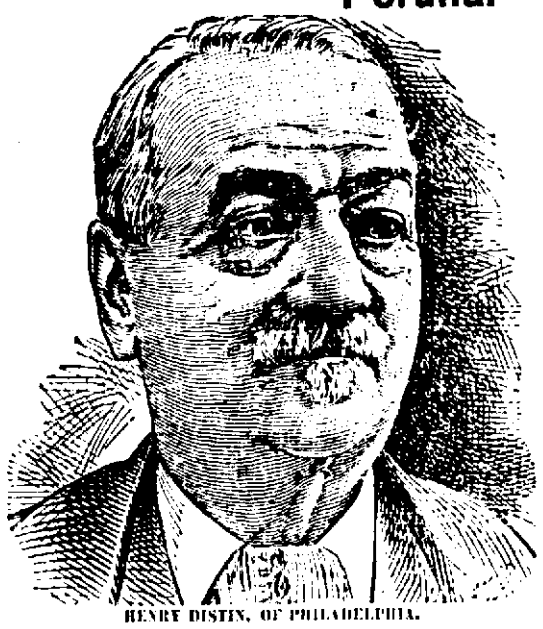

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Henry Distin, the inventor and maker of all the band instruments for the Henry Distin Manufacturing Co., at Williamsport, Pa., is probably the most active old man in Philadelphia today. He and his wife recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, at their home, on South Ninth street. Mr. Distin comes from one of the most famous musical families of the old world, his father and grandfather before him, as well as himself, having played at most all the royal courts of England and the continent.

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AGED BANKER DIES.

Detroit, Mich., March 20. Albert Ives, the oldest banker in Detroit, died at his residence here early today aged ninety-one years. In 1847 he established the private bank of A. Ives & Sons, which failed last fall. Mr. Ives, who had retired from active business, was kept ignorant of the failure, and up to his death believed the institution to be flourishing. He was born in Wallingford, Conn., and came to Detroit in 1837.

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CHEAP RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

February 12th and each Tuesday thereafter, until and including April 30th, special low rate Colonist tickets will be sold via the Southern Pacific Company's "Ogden" and "Sunset" Routes to all points in California.

The rate will be: From Chicago, $30.00; from St. Louis, Memphis and New Orleans, $27.50; from Omaha, Kansas City, etc., $25.00. Corresponding low rates from all other points east and north.

For particulars and detailed information pertaining to the Southern Pacific Company's Routes and these special rates to California, call upon or address, W. G. Neimyer, G. W. A., S. P. Co., 238 Clark St., Chicago, Ill.; W. H. Connor, C. A., S. P. Co., Chamber Commerce bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio. 26tf

At the Cathedral mission last evening Father Shyne lectured to another large congregation. His subject was "Eternal Punishment." This evening Father Mulcouny, one of the most eloquent speakers ever heard in a Fort Wayne pulpit, will preach on "The Confessional," explaining a much-misunderstood doctrine of Catholicism.

The faculty of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will hold its final meeting at the college building tomorrow afternoon to pass upon the examinations, which will have been completed by that time. The college trustees will meet Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Kettler entertained the East Side Aid society this afternoon.

LOCAL LINES.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kruse—a son.

Donald McDonald is quite ill from typhoid fever.

Miss Emma Rosenthal is at home from a visit at Chicago.

Mrs. Minnie Graves-Brown left today for a brief visit in Toledo.

Val C. Rocholl has recovered from an illness of several days' duration.

The Tippecanoe club will give a smoker and card party this evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. August Meyer, of South Calhoun street—a son.

Frank A. Mannel has received an appointment in the railway mail service.

The Amicus club will be entertained Thursday evening by Mrs. George Fox.

Miss Genevieve Szink will entertain a company of invited friends at pedro Friday evening.

Architect Weatherhogg is preparing plans for the new Odd Fellows' building at Monroeville.

Mrs. W. F. Graham left today for a visit with friends at Howard, Pa., and other eastern points.

Kent Blair arrived in the city today from New York to spend a vacation of ten days with his parents.

Kendallville Sun: "Mrs. Brahmer went to Fort Wayne today to receive medical treatment at a hospital."

The Wabash Church Furniture company is installing the furniture in the new Emmaus Lutheran church.

Mrs. Albert Stauch, of Huntington, is a patient at Hope hospital, where she will undergo a surgical operation.

Next Monday evening a reception will be held in the Y. W. C. A. parlors in honor of Mrs. McCrea, the state secretary.

The members of the Amaranthus and the E. M. C. T. clubs were pleasantly entertained Monday evening by Miss Lillie Nessel.

Mrs. W. W. Atterbury, of Altoona, Pa., gives a cotillion Friday evening in honor of Miss Mary Evans, of this city, who is her guest.

St. Paul's Walther league is arranging for an entertainment at its hall on Friday evening. Moving pictures will be a feature.

Miss Barrett entertained a company at whist informally Monday evening in honor of Miss Helen Van Schuyver, of Portland, Ore.

A number of Fort Wayne ladies will attend a reception to be given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. John Niblack and daughters, at Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frederick Reusch, of South Bend, are the parents of a little daughter. Mrs. Reusch will be remembered as Miss Marguerite Hanna.

C. B. Raymond has gone to Toledo to become assistant superintendent of the International Correspondence schools. P. Harris, of Buffalo, succeeds Mr. Raymond in Fort Wayne.

The Consumers' Ice company, of Fort Wayne, has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state, with a capital stock of $10,000. The directors are William Goodfellow, James Goodfellow, C. W. Lonson and F. M. Fauvre.

DEATH'S RECORD OF THE DAY

JAMES AKEY EXPIRES AT AN ADVANCED AGE.

Well Known Adams Township Farmer Who Came to Fort Wayne in 1849—Other Mortuary Matters.

James Akey, for many years a well known Adams township farmer, died Monday evening at 5 o'clock at his home, near New Haven, at the advanced age of 78 years. Death was due to the infirmities of age.

Mr. Akey came to Fort Wayne in 1849, lived in this city for fifteen years and then removed to the farm which has since been his home. He was a highly respected citizen and a member of the Maples M. P. church. Surviving are the widow and eight children.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Methodist Protestant church at New Haven.

SUTORIUS.

Ludwig C., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Sutorius, of 267 Gay street, died at 5 o'clock this morning from lung fever, at the age of six months.

Funeral services will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Cooper. Funeral services of Mrs. Mary Cooper will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence, 777 South Broadway, Rev. Dr. W. D. Parr officiating. The interment will be at Lindenwood.

Stanger.—Funeral services of Henry Stanger will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 298 Buchanan street. The remains will be incinerated at Lindenwood.

Isabey. Funeral services of Miss Sarah Isabey will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 35 Lincoln avenue. Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Woods, Christian Science readers, will officiate, and the interment will be at Lindenwood.

Austin.—Funeral services of the late Mrs. Louise Austin will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 35 Lincoln avenue. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Christian Science church.

Constipation
Does your head ache? Pain back of your eyes? Bad taste in your mouth? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, headache, dyspepsia.
25c. All druggists.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use
BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the Whiskers

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BEAUTIFUL!
Hardly expresses the appearance of the Malloy Millinery Parlors. To be appreciated they must be seen. Opening, today, Thursday and Friday. All invited.
12 AND 14 ARCADE.

MR. FOSTER IN MEXICO.

The Herald, published in the City of Mexico, says:

"Samuel M. Foster, a prominent business man of Fort Wayne, Ind., is among the Cates excursion party now visiting in this city, and Mr. Foster said last evening, in talking of forming opinions while traveling with excursions, that it was impossible for anybody to gather a correct impression of any country under such circumstances.

"While we are all having an excellent time," continued Mr. Foster, "we are unable to get more than a superficial view of the country under these circumstances. Tourists are afforded nothing but a spectacular view of the fantastic side of the country and the commercial opportunities which are said to exist in Mexico never appeal to the average excursionist. However, this is not to be expected. Excursions are not organized for that purpose, and when an unsophisticated American is let loose in the republic of Mexico, he finds so much of the spectacular and so much difference in social customs, that it is not to be expected that a few days here and there can give him a broad view or a true conception of the best which the country affords. Yet many undertake to publish these hasty impressions.

"Mexico is becoming a greater attraction each year to the American traveler as well as the business man, and I expect that, within a few years more, it will be as well known as a summer resort as it is now as a place for the people from the north to escape the cold winters of their homes."

HE SAID IT.

And Every Word Was Worth a Gold Piece.

When an old, experienced druggist advises a man to throw medicine to the dogs and use good common sense and the right kind of food the advice is worth heeding.

"An old friend of mine whom I knew to be not only a first-class druggist, but an honest man as well, advised me, in order to cure my Dyspepsia which I had suffered with for 12 long years, and spent hundreds of dollars in order to get well, to quit most of all kinds and make my meals on Grape-Nuts Food and cream, with cooked fruit and Postum Cereal Food Coffee.

"I took his advice and in a few days a great change had taken place. I was no longer troubled with pains in the side, smothering spells, palpitation, and pains about the heart, and when night came I looked forward to a good night's rest. I was also free from headaches and sour stomach that had been with me for years before. In fact, I was a new man, and improved so rapidly in health that I went up to 229 pounds.

"I am enjoying as good health as I ever did in my life, and no healthier man can be found, I firmly believe.

"During the past winter I was out of doors every day, and we had some very severe weather. Those who worked with me and used coffee and tea and other kinds of liquid beverages were constantly complaining of the cold. I did not suffer in the least, nor did I contract a bad cold during the entire winter.

"I know a lady in Pittsburg who suffered from dyspepsia as much as I did. She was a terrible sufferer. She had a deathly color, but she went on Grape-Nuts Food and Postum Cereal Food Coffee and gained twenty-three pounds in less than three months. She lost the greenish color of her complexion, and now her cheeks are as rosy as a school girl's, and her eyes bright as a dollar.

"I know when I am well off and stick to Grape-Nuts and Postum Food Coffee."

INSPECTED BATTERY B.

The annual inspection of Battery B, the Fort Wayne light artillery, was held Tuesday evening under the requirements of the laws which govern the Indiana national guard, and the inspecting officer was Maj. A. B. Schanz, of Attica. He was assisted by Lieut. F. P. VanCamp, of Indianapolis. The battery was found to be in excellent shape and superbly drilled. Major Schanz and Lieutenant VanCamp left this morning for Indianapolis.

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Cures All Throat and Lung Affections.
COUGH SYRUP
Get the genuine. Refuse substitutes.
IS SURE
Salvation Oil cures Rheumatism. 25 & 25 cts

If you are weak and want to be strong; if you are strong and want to be stronger, eat Grain Kernels; they will help you.

Thousands use Bromo-Pepsin for headache, indigestion, nausea, and sleeplessness who would use no other remedy. This is because Bromo-Pepsin cures surely and promptly and is absolutely harmless. All druggists. 10c., 25c. and 50c. per bottle.

NO NEED OF GOING TO NEW YORK TO BUY ORIENTAL LANTERNS.

The Edmunds Electric Construction Co., having concluded that there is no necessity for Fort Wayne being outdone by the larger cities in the way of popular and unusually fine materials in their line, have purchased a stock of Oriental Lanterns which are very handsome in design. We have them in all sizes and at prices ranging from $1.50 to $25. We also have the largest line of Electric and Gas Shades in the state. We will be pleased to show our Lanterns, etc., to all interested in that line of goods.
THE EDMUNDS ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY. 16t6

Miss Margaret Stumen is recovering from her recent illness.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms 21 W. Berry St. 3-8-1mo

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with or without board—Inquire 225 West Main St. 2-21-1mo

FOR RENT—Two modern houses; central location. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR RENT—An exceptionally nice suite of unfurnished rooms with board at 96 East Wayne St. 18-tf

FOR RENT—Room, with or without board, including bath. Day boarders wanted. Mrs. Keller, 46 W. Wayne. 15tf

FOR RENT—No. 9 East Wayne, opp. Fruit House, in rear of the Bruder jewelry corner, on Calhoun; all vacant. 3-9-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms; bath, heat and electric light; with or without board. Inquire 225 W. Main St. 2-21-1m

FOR RENT—Store room, No. 94 Wells street. Inquire at the Diether Lumber Works, office East Superior street. 18-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, with or without board; all conveniences, at 114 Clinton St., one block from Masonic Temple. 19t6

FOR RENT—Two modern residences on East Berry and seven-room house at 29 Fischer street. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR RENT—House of eight rooms; all modern improvements; centrally located; first-class in every respect. Apply 49 Harmer street. 3-9-tf

FOR RENT—Nice furnished rooms, at No. 15 Clay street, near Berry, with bath privileges, and will board if desired. Apply at residence. 7-tf

FOR RENT—The two store rooms fronting on Berry street, in Minde block, northwest corner of Berry and Harrison streets. Inquire at the Old National bank. 6tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms on first and second floors, with or without board; all modern conveniences; rates reasonable. 27 and 29 East Washington street. 5-1mo

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new phone. 10tf

FOR RENT—In Foster block, Court St., second story, over Kettler's furniture store, handsomely furnished room for gentlemen or married couple with children; light, heat and attendance to rooms furnished; bath and toilet rooms; unexceptionable references required. Apply at Foster Furniture Co. 3-20-2tf

WANTED.

WANTED—A porter. Apply at Randall hotel. 20-2t

WANTED—At once two experienced sewing girls at 109 Lafayette St. 20-2t

WANTED—Everybody to call up Consumers' Ice Co.; both phones 594. m18-tf

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Apply at 76 West Creighton avenue. 20-2t

WANTED—A first-class baker. Apply at Wheele & Sons, 126 Fairfield Ave. 18-3t

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Buchor, 107 Holman street. 20-tf

WANTED—A girl to do general housework at 242 W. Wayne street. Mrs. Charles A. Wilding. 19-tf

WANTED—A man to learn to repair watches. Call at 98 North Harrison street, between 9 and 10 a. m. 19tf

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; must come well recommended; good wages. 241 West Berry street. 11-tf

WANTED—A middle-aged woman without incumberance to work in a family of three adults; good home and good wages. Call at 87 W. Jefferson St. 3-20-tf

WANTED—Ideas—The crown bottle seal made William Painter a wealthy man. W. G. Burns, Patent Attorney, 89 Calhoun St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

WANTED—Ladies, consult Mme. Place, M. B. C., in regard to your facial blemishes, 38 W. Wayne St. Electric bath, beauty culture, manicure and hair dressing parlors, for ladies only. 2-28-tf

WANTED—Mrs. Fitzgerald's employment office, 39 W. Washington St., has a number of nice places waiting for girls; good wages. Apply at once. Have a colored coachman with good references. 16-tf

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; only eight weeks required; have positions paying $15 weekly waiting graduates this spring; comparatively little expense. Write Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 16-6t

WANTED—Men to sell cigars; liberal proposition; if you are out of employment and want a profitable steady situation and will devote your time to our business write us. Havana Cigar Co., DeSoto building, St. Louis, Mo. 9-12t

WANTED—Every man, woman and child to call at the Citizens' Trust Company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000. Interest paid on deposits. 8tf

WANTED—Cancers, tumors, birthmarks and all morbid growths removed without the use of surgeon's ghastly knife. One application does the work. Cure guaranteed. Dr. Zimmerman, Sanitarium, 38 West Wayne street, corner Harrison, Fort Wayne Ind. 2-28-tf

WANTED—Agents—Men or women, to sell greatest money-maker on the market; the Queen bread and pastry board; sells everywhere; retail price $1; agents making from $1 to $9 a day; special territory given; write for terms. The Richland Supply Co., Mansfield, O. 20-5t

WANTED—Persons suffering from Coughs, Weak Lungs, Consumption, even Tuberculosis, resulting from La Grippe, or other disease to try Tuberclne; C. F. Beyerline, No. 33 Boone street, was permanently cured after suffering with consumption for nine years; Tuberclne is highly endorsed by the United States health reports; on sale at 67 East Main street; price $1.00 per bottle. 26-eod-2m

MONEY TO LOAN—Money to loan at 4½ and 5 per cent., with privilege of partial payments; also money loaned on personal security; property for sale. P. A. & P. P. Randall, Bass block, Fort Wayne. d-wtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Forty-acre farm in southern Michigan; especially adapted to fruit culture; no commission. Address C. Gaide, Fort Wayne, Ind. 3-9-1m-d&w

LOST.

LOST—Long black pocketbook containing a number of notes. Finder please return to Wm. Meyer, jr., auditor, and receive reward. 19-2t

LOST—A mink boa, with head, Sunday, March 10; either on street car or going to First Presbyterian church Sunday school, at Sunday school or returning via Clinton and E. Berry St. Finder leave at Foster Furniture Co.'s. 19-2t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Engine and boiler. Inquire, P. A. Randall. 20eod-tf

FOR SALE—Ladies' wheel; good as new. 503 S. Broadway. 20-2t

FOR SALE—A nice cottage on West Creighton ave.; price, $1,650. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—One platform spring wagon at Cope's feed yard, corner Barr and Columbia Sts. 20-4t

FOR SALE—A bargain, on West DeWald street; belongs to heirs out of city; want an offer. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new nine-room steam heated residence, west end; price cut to $4,500. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Or Exchange—For Fort Wayne property, two farms. Address, F. G. Gaunitt, No. 30 Douglas ave. 2-23-eod2m

FOR SALE—A nine room boarding house; well furnished, good trade and good location. Inquire at 258 Clinton St. 19t2

FOR SALE—Six rooms and bath room on East Williams, near Calhoun, at $2,250. W. E. Doud, over old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Either of three elegant Berry street residences; very central; $10,000 each. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—7 room house, partly modern, large barn, 50 ft. lot, on Hoagland Ave. Price $3,200. W. E. Doud, over Old National Bank. 23-tf

FOR SALE—Second hand cook stoves and furniture. All kinds of furniture bought, sold and exchanged. J. M. Basmus, 69 E. Main St. 3-9-1m

FOR SALE—Some choice building lots on West Creighton, Fairfield and South Broadway; finest residence location. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new, nine rooms, bath and electric lights, on Hanna street, near DeWald; a special bargain, $3,000. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Or exchange—70 acre farm for city property or vacant lots; would pay difference if any. For particulars call or address, R. W. Cecil, No. 10 North St. 23-1m

FOR SALE—It will pay you to buy shoes of us, as we will dispose of all our shoes within the next thirty days, regardless of price. A call will convince you at L. J. Libbing & Co.'s, 39 East and 23 West Main street.

FOR SALE—Two farms, well improved, located in Aboite and Lafayette townships; would take part pay in improved city property; also a number of good improved dwelling property, well located. Call and see us. Schrader & Wilson, Court St., 1st floor. tf

FOR SALE—Building lots; at $100 to $300 each, on very easy payments; situated on N. Clinton St., fifteen minutes walk from the court house and three or four minutes from street car. John H. Jacobs, Spy Run Ave., north of Centlivre Brewery, west side of the road. 2tf

FOR SALE—Bargains—Three Washington boulevard residences; five-room cottage on Boone street; choice vacant lot on Boone street; seven-room house on Smith street; choice lot in Lakeside, one-half price. J. T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE—A nice home on Douglass Ave.; house and lot on Pine St., half price; make me an offer on 111 Taylor St.; house and lot on Third St., $1,650.00; six room house and half lot on McClellan St., $2,100. Bargains in vacant lots in all parts of city. G. E. Miner, Real Estate and Loans, Notary Public, 20 Court St. 3-12-1mo

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—40 acres in Kalkaska county, Mich.; 160 acres in Nebraska state; 500 acres in Whitley Co., Ind.; 180 acres 9 miles west of city; 63 acres 11 miles east of city; 68 acre tract 6 miles east of city; 10 acres 6 miles west of city; 40 acres 9 miles north of city; also 15 resident properties in city at bargains. R. C. Nieworger & Co., 18 Harrison St., city. 6-26-d-a-w-tf

FOR SALE—Choice real estate—The following lots at reasonable prices, with best possible terms. The lots are well located. Refer to city map: Lots 31, 32, 55, 72, 89, 90, 91, 122, 123, 134, 138, 139, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 156, part 101, 102, White's First add.; lot 30, Lillie's addition; ½ lot 15, Wilt's add. (improved); lot 4, White's Third addition; lots 102, 100, Vordermark's add.; lot 26, Wayne Heights; lots 123, 124, 127, 163, 164, 165, 167, Fletcher's add.; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 41, 42, 43, 35, 36, Taylor & Abbott's add.; lot 22, Crescent add. A warrantee deed and abstract furnished. Sold on monthly payments or 1 to 5 years' time. A good chance for investment. Inquire of A. R. White, care White Fruit House.

A Shirt Sale

Come and take a look at the new and up-to-date spring styles, the greatest values, choicest patterns. A great variety to select from.

200 dozen Men's Laundered Colored Percale Shirts; look like the dollar kind; while they last they go at 50c each.

100 dozen Men's Fine Madras Shirts, detachable collars and cuffs, a great seller and a bargain at the price, 50c each.

150 dozen Men's Colored Shirts, with or without collars; all the newest spring styles; they look and wear like the $1.50 kind; our price $1.00 each.

Men's Laundered and Unlaundered White Shirts at special prices.

Welker & Nablo,

Schmitz Block,

118 Calhoun St.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY MARCH 20 1901.

TONIGHT

Hod Carriers—Regular meeting of No. 10 at 41 West Main street, second floor.

Painters and Decorators—Regular meeting of No. 90 at 62 Clinton street, third floor.

Lithers—Regular meeting of No. 40 at Pearl and Harrison streets, second floor.

Christian Science Services of First church in Harmony Hall, Second floor in old Hebrew tabernacle.

Lodges—Fort Wayne Council No. 4 R. and S. M. Fort Wayne Chapter No. 19, Royal Arch Masons, Mecosannochaqua Tribe No. 106 I. O. R. M.; Concordia No. 229, I. O. O. F.; Fort Wayne No. 1 547 I. O. O. F.; Fort Wayne Council No. 35 Jr. O. U. A. M.; Fort Wayne No. 19 A. O. U. W.; Liberty Council No. 22, X. and L. of G.; Columbia Council of Honor No. 242.

Masonic Temple—Week's attractions. Tonight, The Black Patti Troubadours.

Thursday night, Sousa's Band.

Saturday night, "Secret Service."

It is well proved that a bear is quite as bad as a bull in a China shop.

If winter is back again it will be the fault of spring in its behalf. The coquette lured him with a smile.

Greece, Bulgaria evidently thinks the Balkans may as well be wiped out the way of nations with some profit.

Prices for having it done on the battlefield.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the billion-dollar steel trust, says that being born poor was the greatest blessing of his life. It will be noted, however, that it was a blessing Mr. Schwab was quick to let go of.

It is now believed, and perhaps with truth, that a fraud was perpetrated in the Indiana house with respect to the railroad bill that was passed and vetoed by the governor. But why raise a row about that plurality incident? That was not all fraudulent in it.

Three Kansas counties will have prize fights within a few days, notwithstanding the severe anti-prize fight law. Kansas ought to be ringing a very handsome cash were it not for the rounds they send as foreign. But the promoters probably thought of that when they decided to go to the rounds in Kansas while their demands were under consideration outside.

The new mayor of Boston is Hon. George Dexter Bancroft, a descendant of the famous historian. It is not to be inferred that Boston is going to get a good mayor because of the fact that he is a descendant of a great man. It is not the rule in this country for the descendants of such a distinguished ancestry to do credit to their ancestors. It is not like a man named Clay to be a Clay, or like a man named Webster to be a Webster. The name may predispose people in his favor, but it is not a guarantee of good citizenship. The Clays may predispose the people in the direction of hospitality, but the Websters must show their mettle before they can be sure of the support of the people.

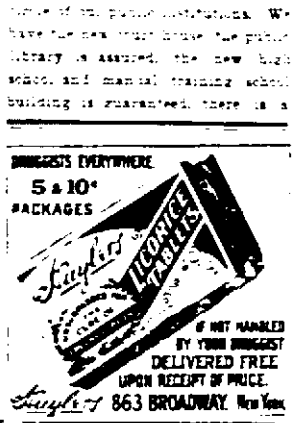
FORT WAYNE MUST HAVE IT

We must have the auditorium. If the building be not erected there will be a most unsightly gap in the series of the public institutions. We have the new court house, the public library is assured, the new high school and manual training school building is guaranteed, there is a sightly city hall, scores of splendid churches and other scores of beautiful club and parochial school buildings. The one thing missing and not definitely provided for is the auditorium. Fort Wayne must have that, too.

Fort Wayne seems now on the eve of the finest period of its development. It is no longer an overgrown town, but a city. It should have a city's pride and public spirit. The things we need to make good our claim to position and importance should be forthcoming. Some of them are. The auditorium should be among these. We need it. It is wanted for our growth and prosperity as it is essential to our pleasure and education. The sooner we get it the better. It all depends on the public spirit of the people of Fort Wayne whether we get it soon or late or get it at all. A lively awakening to the importance of this enterprise and quick and generous response to the requests for subscriptions will make the auditorium a possibility of the present year.

Every person in Fort Wayne who is able to take a share of stock is in some degree responsible for what becomes of the project. Every one can share in the glory of the achievement or the shame of failure.

Fort Wayne must have the auditorium. It is now materially and morally essential to the city. We cannot afford to risk the harm that would come from failure of this enterprise. We cannot afford to dispense with the benefits it would confer upon the city. Without the auditorium the scope of the city's future development will be most disastrously limited. We cannot afford that.



THE HEALTH HABIT

Just as Easy to Form as Any Other.

We do not deliberately form our pet habits, but they are unconsciously acquired, and grow as we grow, and by the time we learn they are hurting us we find them too strong to be easily broken.

Then why not form a good habit, a habit which will counteract the injury done, in other words cultivate the indispensable habit of being always well?

The best health habit to get into is to have and keep a vigorous stomach. If one has a healthy digestion one can eat pretty almost anything without inconvenience, but the majority of people have a weak stomach, which is by no means the exclusive property of the dyspeptic, and which must have their things prepared with the infallible stomach, without any assistance.

From the habit of taking after meals some harmless but efficient digestive which will relieve the stomach of all or more extra work.

Many formulas are written, and many of these are advertised as the best, but there is no doubt that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have gained the confidence of the average stomach to a greater extent than any other preparation. Their ingredients are known to be harmless, and their effects are beneficial to the stomach and digestive organs.

The habit of taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after meals is so easy that the average stomach is found to be benefited, and indeed to get the benefit of them taken morning before and after a morning after can be seen.

Many physicians prescribe Stuart's Tablets as a safe and sure remedy in the house as a family medicine.

Their pleasant antidote of natural fruit ingredients without the effect of characteristics of drugs, and yet so palatable, action but simply a pleasant and effective and delicious.

Take into account your bad habits and the expense they entail and then for fifty cents in a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and see if your health for the next month is not more satisfactory.

Ask the druggist for a box of the most successful of all dyspepsia stomach remedy and be well by Stuart's.

Miss Waneta Smith entertained a company of friends last evening in celebration of her birthday anniversary. Progressive euchre was the amusement.

A Bad Inheritance.

A little girl one hundred years old was crippled with rheumatism, and the local doctor said it was hereditary, as the other members of the family had it. She suffered from it for five years, until a friend who had been cured of the disease by Athlophoros recommended this remedy to her. The doctors had tried five years to cure her but Athlophoros did it with only two bottles. These inherited cases are the hardest to cure but Athlophoros will do it, no matter what the cause or the condition.

Ath-lo-pho-ros

Cures All Kinds of RHEUMATISM

Sold by Druggists. Booklet Sent Free. THE ATHLOPHOROS CO., New Haven, Conn.

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COUNCIL COMMITTEE TAKES UP QUESTION.

Route for Maumee Valley Electric Line is Agreed Upon—Sol Goldberger Wants Franchise.

The committee on franchises and the councilmen from the First, Second and Eighth wards met at the city hall last night to take up the New Haven electric road franchise, better known as the Maumee Valley franchise. The railroad company was represented by Will O'Rourke and C. W. Ott and the route which they proposed met with serious opposition from the property owners along the line. Residents along Hayden, Hough and City streets appeared and the City street remonstrants were positively vigorous in their protests. A number of different routes were suggested and discussed, but finally a compromise was offered and the following line was agreed upon. The line will enter the city on New Haven avenue and will run as far as Fletcher avenue and thence north to Maumee avenue, west on Maumee to Walton and north across the Wabash avenue bridge to Lake avenue in Lakeside, where it will connect with the tracks of the City and Interurban company, coming down home on Columbia street. The line operated with the lines now held by the Southwestern company which will probably be granted, will form almost a belt line around the city, a consummation which the board of works is striving for. The route agreed upon last night will be recommended to the council and it will probably be accepted, the conditions imposed on other lines being embodied in the franchise agreed upon.

SOL GOLDBERGER'S LINE

Solomon Goldberger, the junk man, has bobbed out as a promoter of street railways and has presented an application for a franchise to Chairman Egremann, of the board of works. Mr. Goldberger is running opposition to the Maumee Valley company in some respects. He does not say what is going to build his road to, with a back of him to furnish money—all he wants is a right of way. Neither does Mr. Goldberger claim that for the Fort Wayne Traction company but seeks to parallel its Clinton street line. He wants to start at the corner of Clinton and Columbia streets and run east to Clinton street, then south on Clinton to Holmes, and east on Holmes to Huron, south on Huron to Hayden, and east on Hayden to Walton avenue, south on Walton avenue to the Wayne line and southeast on the Wayne road to the city limits. Where he proposes to go to from the city limits he does not say and evidently does not think that is anybody's business. All other roads indicate to what neighboring city they will extend their lines, but Mr. Goldberger is not hampered by any conditions beyond the city limits. Mr. Goldberger's line would close up a large portion of the gap remaining in the belt line of interurban roads and it is probably with a sole view of closing that gap that the new Napoleon has become ambitious.

ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

Engineer Rudisill says that the foundations now laid in the Main street improvement of work in the vicinity of the intersection of sewer and water that unless the water advances pretty soon work will be forced into the street, likewise interfering with the work. The sewer is now ready for connection at this point and the work must be at this time is particularly interesting.

The mayor said this morning that he is in a hurry to make the appointment of street commissioner, and will not make it at any rate until after the consummation has been finished. This is regarded copy of the internal improvements. The state auditor has not apparently in his power to make a change in this affair, and the question from the standpoint copy of the charter was made after a week ago, no response has yet been made. No changes of any importance will be made until the administration is officially informed what is at.

Complaint was lodged with the board of works this morning by property owners on Harrison street, north of Superior, of the condition of the pavement. It is charged that the contractors laying dirt from the river with their wagons have not taken the proper precautions to protect their tracks. The consequence is that dirt in large quantities is scattered by the passing teams and now the accumulation has become so great that the street is knee-deep with mud. The complainants want the sewer contractor to clean the street. The board of works promised relief.

Veterans of Sam S. Sage post No. 10 G. A. R. tendered a surprise party Monday evening to Comrade A. W. Pierce, in honor of his birthday anniversary, which occurred on St. Patrick's day. Mr. Pierce was presented with a handsome rocker, and the evening was most pleasantly spent. A program of vocal and instrumental music was rendered, including many of the old war songs, and over cigars and stories the veterans fought their battles over again. At 11 o'clock all sat down to a ration of hardtack and coffee, and in leaving the comrades extended to Commander Pierce their wish that he might have many years of comfort in the march of time.

URGE A MEMORIAL BUILDING

IN HONOR OF GEN. ANTHONY WAYNE

Union Veteran Legion Would Erect a Pretty Structure on the S. of the C. & F. Park.

Encampment No. 31 of the Union Veteran Legion, has taken the initiatory steps looking to the erection of a pretty memorial building in this city in honor of General Anthony Wayne. At the last meeting of the encampment Captain Scott Fewell introduced the following preamble and resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, Fort, that the members of the encampment appoint a committee of five to take the initiative in a proper way to have the city of Fort Wayne identify the Old Fort park by a monument or building and to have erect a tablet, and dedicated to General Anthony Wayne, the building to contain quarters for an armory, etc.

"Second, that all Grand Army posts, state militia and the Spanish American war veterans appoint committees to cooperate with us.

"Third, that the Anthony Wayne monument fund be used to erect proper monument to General Wayne.

"Fourth, that we ask the state of Indiana to contribute.

"Fifth, that we ask the congress of the United States to make a proper appropriation."

In accordance with the resolution Colonel McClelland, commander of the encampment, appointed a committee composed of Generals H. C. Zollinger, Colonel M. M. Thompson and Colonel Henry M. Williams and representatives of the resolution, some seventy other military organizations in the city to assist them out in the movement.

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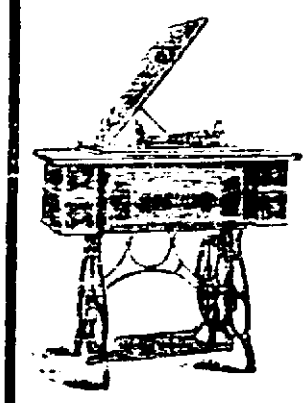

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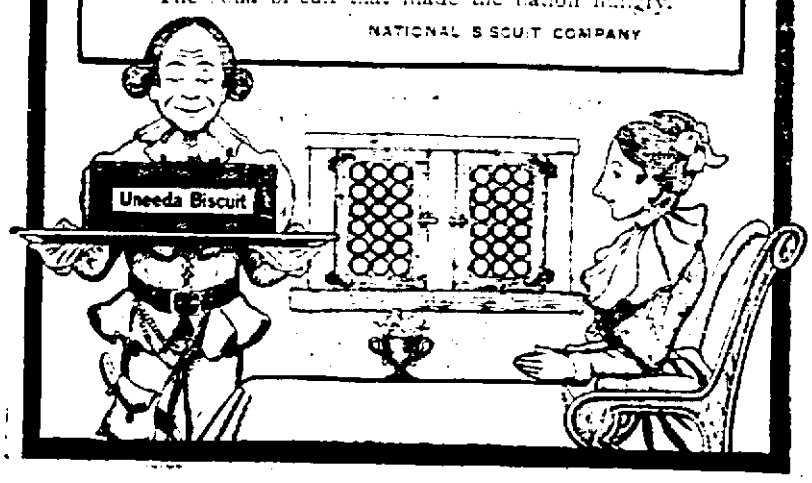

ABOUT BASE BALL.

There were doings in base ball circles last night, but what the real result of the aforesaid doings will be cannot yet be foretold. As was previously announced, Manager Watkins came to town for the purpose of talking things over with the local magnates and he was joined here by the irrepressible Strobel, of Toledo, who always wants to be around when anything is being done. As was forecasted in these columns several days ago, Indianapolis and Louisville were denied berths in the Western league and they are now clearly on the outside unless room can be made for them in the Inter-State circuit. The object of Watkins' visit was to make formal application for admission to the Inter-State league. The conference was held at the Wayne club and was attended by President Meyer, President Mautner, President Strobel and President Watkins. They were in session until a late hour and after they got through neither had anything to say for publication. It is known, however, that it was considered advisable to rearrange the Inter-State circuit so as to include Louisville, Grand Rapids and Indianapolis. Deacon Ellis, of Grand Rapids, said some weeks ago that he would interest himself in base ball if he could get into a circuit with Indianapolis and Louisville, but he would have nothing to do with the smaller towns. Strobel accordingly went back to Toledo and was expected to go to Grand Rapids today to talk the matter over and see whether Ellis was still anxious to break into the base ball arena. President Meyer in the meantime has gone to Indianapolis to confer with J. T. Brush, of the National league, and learn from him what prospect there is of the Inter-State holding Indianapolis as a part of its territory in case arrangements can be made for its admission this season. After all these preliminaries are settled the question of how to get the three towns into the league will be considered. There was an agreement made before the meeting at Columbus last week that the Inter-State should be organized regardless of the other towns now clamoring for admission, and those who did cast their lot with the Inter-State were guaranteed protection against invasion of their rights by any outsiders. There is no disposition now on the part of the majority of the league to cut any of the minor clubs and it is probable that if Indianapolis and Louisville want to come in they will have to buy their way in. It is certain anyway that all cities which have any investment will be protected. This means Fort Wayne, Toledo, Mansfield, Dayton and Columbus, all of which towns have investments made in parks and other club property. Wheeling has not a cent invested and being away off to one side could most easily be spared. Anderson has no investment, but it is a desirable city, while Marion, it is understood, has leased grounds and paid for them, but could be spared. President Mautner said that the question of dropping clubs had not yet been considered, but that it could be done without injustice to any of the towns mentioned which have no investment made. Making room for the new cities will not be taken up until after it is known exactly who wants to come in and upon what terms they want to come. There will probably be developments in a few days and if the big towns are dropped matters will go right along as they were planned at the Columbus meeting a week ago.

SECURE A NEW HALL.

The Walther league of Emmanuel's Lutheran church has secured the entire upper floor of the large Lutheran school building at Wilt and Union streets, and will hold its future meetings there. Workmen will at once begin remodeling the rooms, and the new quarters will be commodious and pleasant. The society has been heretofore holding its meetings in the basement of the building, and it is believed the change will prove so agreeable as to result in a largely increased membership.

Mothers, be sure and use Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. mayS eod&w

Wait for Mernentheim's opening reception, Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock March 26. Finest and largest display of Hats and Bonnets and Millinery Novelties ever shown in Fort Wayne.

HATCHING A REVOLUTION.

Willmstad, Island of Curacoa, March 20.—(Via Haytian Cable.)—General Andrade, the former president of Venezuela, has arrived here from San Juan de Porto Rico. It is generally understood that his presence here indicates preparation for a serious revolutionary movement in Venezuela in connection with the Peraza, Riera Rolando, Pietri and Crespo partisans.

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Eton Jacket Suits, Blouse Jacket Suits, the best and latest of their kind, in Black, Navy, Modo, Brown, Gray, etc., trimmed or plain, for Ladies or Misses, at $6.90, $7.50, $8.90, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 to $40.00.

Dress SKirts.

A beautiful assortment, either in Silk or Wool material. Taffeta Silk Skirts, handsomely trimmed, flare or graduated flounces, at $5.90, $7.50, $8.90, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 to $25.00. Dress Skirts of Cheviot, Serge, Brilliantine, Homespun, etc., at $1.50, $2.90, $3.90, $5.00, $6.50 to $12.50 each.

Walking Skirts.

More popular than ever this season. We have them in mixtures and Dark Oxford Mixtures, Covert and Pebble Cloth, single face or plaid back, at $1.98, $2.90, $3.90, $5.00, $6.50 up to $15.00.

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We are showing a better line than ever this season in various styles and cloths for Ladies, Misses and Children. Ladies' and Misses' Jackets from $5.00, $5.00, $6.50, $7.50, $10.00 to $20.00. Children's Reefers, $1.00 to $7.50.

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THE WILL IS READ

DISPOSITION MADE OF THE HARRISON ESTATE.

WIDOW GETS THE BULK OF IT

SON RUSSELL IS CUT OFF WITH MEMENTOES.

MUCH FOR GRANDCHILDREN

ESTATE NOT SO LARGE AS WAS THOUGHT.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20.—That the estrangement between General Benjamin Harrison and his son Russell because of the marriage of the ex-president to Mary Lord Dimmick had not grown less in the passing of years was strongly brought out yesterday afternoon in the general's will. Of the estate of $300,000 not one penny is left to Russell. Down near the close of the document one share of the residue of the estate is bequeathed to Russell, but in trust for his children, to be used for the support and education of such children." And note this cutting addition: "Such a portion as it may not be used before shall be turned over to each child on his becoming of age." The young man incurred a number of debts—including one or several thousand in running his Helena (Mont.) Journal, now defunct, back in the '80s—and these, the evidence of which were in the hands of the general at his death, he evidently canceled.

Russell is given the portraits of the first Mrs. Harrison, the certificate of William Henry Harrison's election to the presidency and minor presents, but the general gives his eldest this parting shot in item 16:

"If another child should be born to me of my present marriage I give and bequeath to such child the sum of $10,000. If a boy shall be born to me he shall bear my name and my sword and such shall be given to him instead of to my son Russell."

MRS. HARRISON GETS $125,000

The will names the Union Trust company as trustee and executor of the estate. It was made April 20, 1899. It covers twelve typewritten pages and is drawn in the logical, careful manner characteristic of many other documents executed by him. The first bequest is that of $100,000 increased to $125,000 by a codicil) to his widow, Mary Lord Harrison, to be invested and the interest to be paid to her during the term of her natural life, any loss from bad investments to be made good to her from the residuary estate. He also leaves $15,000 to his widow and $10,000 to his little daughter Elizabeth on the condition that if she die before becoming of age or marrying, the entire balance is to go to her mother.

GIVES TO GRANDCHILDREN.

Ten thousand dollars is to be invested until his grandson, Benjamin Harrison McKee, familiarly known as "Baby McKee," shall become of age, when he shall have both the principal and interest. This sum goes to the residuary estate if the grandson should die before reaching his majority. To each of his other grandchildren—Mary Lodge McKee, Marthena Harrison and William Henry Harrison—he leaves $2,500. His sisters—Sarah H. Devin and Anna H. Morris—and his sister-in-law—Elizabeth Scott Parker—sister of his widow, each get $500. His sister—Betty H. Eaton—gets an annuity of $600. His nephew and namesake—Benjamin Harrison, son of his brother John—gets $500; E. A. Tibbott, his private secretary, gets $100 and the Indianapolis Orphans' Asylum and the Eleanor hospital each get $500. The freedmen's mission for sick children gets $100. To his daughter, Mary Harrison McKee, he leaves a portrait of her mother, portraits and family [illegible]. To his daughter Elizabeth he gives some family portraits, [illegible] and pictures together with his gold watch, chain, silver toilet set and all the souvenir spoons. To his grandson Benjamin Harrison McKee, he gives his watch and chain and his [illegible] to his brother Carter his gold [illegible] and a cane to be selected by his widow, and to his brother John his gold sleeve buttons and [illegible].

LEAVES WIDOW MANUSCRIPTS.

The general said he had hoped to write a collection of his speeches, papers, addresses, etc., and other articles that never have appeared in public, but he had not strength, but he had not found time to do so, and therefore left the work to his children.

Russell B. Harrison, has come in for the good share of presents given to him by the citizens of San Francisco and the silver salver given to him on his visit to Utah. Benjamin Harrison McKee gets his watch and chain. His widow gets all the portraits and photographs about the home, his library table, inkstand, shirt studs and all other personal trinkets not otherwise disposed of. In the codicil of the will General Harrison bequeaths $1,000 to the building fund of the First Presbyterian church, of which he was a member. He also notes in the codicil, which was made in February of this year, that since the making of the will his property had increased. He therefore increases the bequest to his wife to $125,000 from $100,000.

WOULD HELP RUSSELL.

Although Russell B. Harrison is left no money, should he survive the widow, who is but a few years his senior, he would receive something, as the will says: "At my wife's death all personal property bequeathed to her is to be divided among my surviving children, the issue of any that may have died taking the parent's share." All the gifts received by his widow are confirmed to her, also silverware, cutlery, etc., belonging to the Harrison house, as are also all articles bought for the house within a period of six months prior to their marriage. She also gets the North Delaware street homestead, valued at probably $30,000, including all horses and vehicles and stable furnishings. Mrs. Harrison is required to file no inventory of property, nor is she required to give bond for its keeping or be liable for loss of the property. To Mrs. Harrison the general also left the summer cottage and grounds, embracing six lots in Herkimer county, N. Y., in the Adirondacks, where he says they have "spent many happy days together."

To his son Russell and to his daughter, Mrs. McKee, he gives all jewelry and trinkets that belonged to their mother; also all articles in the Harrison home that had been presented to her, not including, however, articles of furniture purchased by their mother for the home and paid for by him.

RESIDUE DIVIDED.

All the rest of his estate is left as follows: It is to be divided into as many equal shares as he leaves children, and one additional share for the issue of any child that may have died leaving issue. One such share is given to his son Russell, in trust for the children of Russell, to be used for the support and education of such children. Such portion as is not used before shall be turned over to the child on his becoming of age. In the event of the death of any such children, his share shall be divided among the surviving children.

The second equal share is given to his daughter, Mary Harrison McKee, in fee simple.

A third equal share is left in fee simple to his daughter Elizabeth.

If another child or children should have been born to him, each such child would have had one equal share.

The will was drawn up April 20, 1899, and witnessed by W. H. H. Miller, Harry J. Milligan and Howard Cole.

GREAT TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD

The University Club of Indiana, of this city, of which General Harrison was president, met yesterday and adopted resolutions on his death. The resolutions close as follows:

"To those who come after us in this club we inscribe upon its records these words: 'Benjamin Harrison, the first president of the University club, was the greatest citizen of his state, the greatest lawyer of his time, the intellectual peer of any man who ever held the presidency of the United States, and one of the wisest and most conscientious statesmen of any age or country.'"

MORTON GIVEN A SENTENCE

WILL NOT MAKE A FIGHT FOR A NEW TRIAL.

A Letter Which Shows That the Thief Had a Long Campaign Laid Out. Court News.

William Morton, convicted yesterday of the robbery of Heeschen's saloon last July, on the advice of his attorneys, reconsidered his intention of asking for a new trial and signified his willingness to accept the verdict of the jury and receive his sentence. He was accordingly taken into court this morning, where Judge O'Rourke pronounced a sentence of from one to fourteen years in the penitentiary. He will ask for an interview with his wife and will then be taken to Michigan City. Mrs. Morton, his wife, in all the correspondence which Morton has had with his confederates, has appeared as advisor. When Morton was in jail at Wheeling, awaiting the arrival of requisition papers to bring him to Fort Wayne, he wrote a long letter to Hugh Arnold, his pal in the Heeschen robbery. This letter was subsequently found on Arnold's person when he was arrested at Urichsville, Ohio, on another offense, and was sent to Superintendent Geraline by the Ohio officers. In the letter Morton tells Arnold that he was pinched and it looked as though they were going to land him for a good, long time. He tells him to go to work and finish up the other jobs, so that he can produce money to fight his case. The letter gives the location and description of a number of places which the gang had spotted, tells the best time to crack them and always advises the pal to see Mrs. Morton in case of doubt. At one place it says: "Don't forget the saloon in Fort Wayne, where the little old woman goes back in the house for change." This referred to Phil Keintz's place, on Lafayette street. A drug store in Fort Wayne was also referred to as a good place. Another place in the letter read: "Be sure and get that little saloon near the cemetery at Toledo," and referring to a grocery store in North Manchester, he said: "On a Friday between 5 and 6 is the best time." A butcher shop in Marion and a jewelry store in Anderson were also described. Of the butcher shop he said: "The money is in the iron box and the key is always in the box." In the letter were found diagrams of places and the explanations were in all cases very explicit, and for further information the pal was invariably referred to Mrs. Morton. Morton, however, will be out of business now for a number of moons and Mrs. Morton, if she cares to continue in business, must conduct it alone or find new pals, as Arnold is doing six years at Columbus.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

May Foreman, the woman who was found destitute at the railway station and wanted to go to Melrose, Ohio, did not show up at the township trustee's office until late yesterday afternoon. She had previously telephoned and wanted her transportation sent to her at the hotel. The trustee, naturally an obliging individual, drew the line on that and told the woman if she wanted a ticket she would have to come for it. When she came she was immediately recognized as an old customer. She denied it at first, but the clerk pinned her down and finally she acknowledged that she had been there before. She came in one day last fall and said her husband had abused her and she wanted to go to her parents at Knox. This time she wanted to go to her parents at Melrose and the trustee asked her how many sets of parents she had. She admitted that she had been traveling around the country on passes furnished by township trustees. She was given transportation to Melrose, as the trustee did not want her here as a charge on his hands.

The will of Frederick W. Prange was probated today. The widow and children were named as the beneficiaries.

John F. W. Heine has commenced action against Nicholas Ladig et al. to enjoin the sale of real estate.

The court house decorators today invaded the sheriff's office.

William Knepper sues Andrew Critz on a note for $175.

In the superior court today the case of Cohagen vs. Cohagen was dismissed.

In the case of Kantz vs. Romy et al. Judge Aiken today ordered a decree quieting title.

The Yater divorce case will be heard in the superior court this afternoon.

Judge O'Rourke this forenoon granted Annie Shury a divorce from Frank Shury.

The Bunnstrattar will case continues to occupy the attention of the circuit court. It will probably be submitted today.

The county commissioners are in session today for the purpose of receiving bids for supplies for the county farm for the ensuing quarter. The bids will be opened this afternoon.

There was considerable surprise manifested about the court house this afternoon when it became known that Mary Keiser had commenced proceedings for divorce from her husband, Dr. A. J. Keiser. The complaint which was penned by H. I. Smith, was taken off file and it is understood that in this proceeding, which is preliminary, no sensational charges are made, the allegations being general in character. When the case comes on for trial an amended complaint will be filed and then is when the fun is expected to fly. The amended complaint and the answer thereto are expected to make disclosures which will be startling in some quarters at least.

William Morton was taken to Michigan City by Sheriff Stout this afternoon.

MATCH DECLARED OFF.

New York, March 20.—William L. Moore, representative of John J. Scott and Jack Roach, represented by Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, met in this city today for the purpose of arranging a match between the trotters, The Abbott and Borsalino, but failed to come to terms, and the match was declared off. Mr. Scott insisted on having three out of five heats, to which Mr. Lawson's representative objected, preferring that four out of seven heats should be the conditions. Mr. Scott said he was now ready to race his horse, The Abbott, against any horse in the world for $50,000, best three out of five heats, the gate receipts to go to charity.

Miss Addie Fleckinger, of Ferguson avenue, is critically ill.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, March 20.—May wheat opened ¾@1c higher today at 76½@76⅝c under the influence of strong cables, unsettled weather and light northwest receipts. On liquidation the market reacted during the first hour to 76⅛c. A spurt to 76⅞c was caused by rumors of a claim in China, but white shorts covered the market reacted to 76⅛c. Local receipts were 61 cars, none of contract grade, while Minneapolis and Duluth reported 279 cars against 227 last week and 55 a year ago.

In sympathy with wheat May corn opened ⅛c to ⅛@¼c higher at 41⅜@41½c, but eased off to 41⅛c on liquidation. Local receipts were 292 cars, including 52 cars of contract grade.

May oats opened a shade higher at 25⅜c with wheat and corn, and then 25⅛@25¼c and eased off to 25⅛@25¼c. Receipts were 163 cars.

May pork continued its upward course in the provision pit. The whole list opened higher on light hog receipts, an advance at the yards and a good cash demand. May pork started 22½c lower to 27½c higher at $16.50 to $16.55, and advanced rapidly to $16.65; May lard opened 2½c up at $7.82½@7.85, and May ribs 5@7½c improved at $7.67½@7.70.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—March, 75¾c; April, 75c; May, 76⅞@77c.

Corn—March, 40c; May, 41⅜c.

Oats—March, 25c; May, 25¼c.

Pork—March, $16.75; May, $16.90; July, $15.40.

Lard—March, $7.87½; May, $7.80@7.87½; July, $7.87½; Sept., $7.92½@7.95.

Ribs—March, $7.70; May, $7.50; July, $7.02½; Sept., $7.67½.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.55; No. 1, $1.54; May, $1.55½.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market generally strong to shade higher. Good to prime steers, $5.85@6.90; poor to medium, $3.45@5.80; stockers and feeders, $2.05@4.05; cows, $2.75@4.35; heifers, $2.75@4.65; canners, $2.00@2.65; bulls, $2.65@5.25; calves, $3.50@6.00; Texas fed steers, $4.00@5.00; Texas grass steers, $3.20@4.00; Texas bulls, $2.50@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts today, estimated 30,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 10,000. Market 5@10c higher. Top, $5.95. Mixed and butchers, $5.75@5.95; good to choice heavy, $5.85@6.00; rough heavy, $5.70@5.80; light, $5.70@5.90; bulk of sales, $5.85@5.95.

THE DAY OF WALL STREET.

New York, March 20.—The demand for stocks at the opening was fairly well distributed and prices were higher with the exception of a few of the international stocks and specialties. The Grangers, Pacifics and Steel stocks were all notably strong, gains reaching from 1 to 2 points in members of those groups. Buyings in the Steel securities were in the most confident manner of the Steel stocks which were issued on the deposit of those stocks in assent to the steel merger plan.

The demand for stocks was more centralized than it had been of late, and sharp gains were not well maintained. After the first half hour prices were going down with more precipitancy than they had gone up. Profit taking became general and there had been made of 1½ to 3 points in Tractions, Brooklyn Transit, Chicago and Rock Island, Chicago Northwestern, Pacific and Missouri [illegible] Steel group were 3 points higher. At 11 o'clock the market was still easy and down grade with prices substantially below the highest and in some instances under yesterday's close. Burlington broke 2½ to 163½.

The common steel stocks yielded but the preferred stocks held. Dealings in the stocks themselves were mostly for cash, the largest trading being in the trust receipts.

As the preferred steel stocks continued to improve in face of the general selling the bulls began to support the railways. St. Paul and Missouri Pacific were advanced to the highest of the morning, touching 153 and 101 respectively. Other stocks broken 1, but did not lose their earlier gains.

Consolidated Gas sold up 2¼. Sugar preferred 3¼. Smelting 2½ and the preferred 2. Business grew quieter on the rally, and improvements were not well held. Missouri Pacific fell back 1½.

Bonds were irregular.

POISON IN THE WHISKY.

San Francisco, March 20.—Mrs. George Kent, wife of a longshoreman, has been arrested on suspicion of having sent to her husband through the mails a bottle of whiskey, which, on examination, was found to contain a large quantity of strychnine. The package containing the poisonous liquid was held by the postal authorities because of the rules prohibiting the mailing of liquids. Kent was notified and when he called at the post office the bottle was opened, with the result that several days afterward arrested Mrs. Kent. She denies any knowledge of the matter.

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From Business

A Few of Our Bargains:

Gent's gold filled watches with Elgin movements, warranted twenty years, $10.00.
Ladies' gold filled watches with Elgin movements, $7.65.
Solid gold rings from $1.00 up.
A fine line of ladies' and gents' chains from $1.00 up.
Sterling silver spoons and forks 85c oz.
Roger Bros.' teaspoons, $1.35 a set.
A fine eight-day mantle clock for $5.00.
Cake baskets, $1.50; berry dishes, $2.00.
Now is the time to buy, while the stock is large and complete. Sale to continue until entire stock is disposed of.

P. Scherzinger,
78 Calhoun Street.

JOHN RABUS,
TAILOR
16 WEST BERRY STREET
PRESENTS compliments and invites you to examine new effects in
WOOLENS
Scotch Suitings, Confined Novelties.

TOLD BY PAIN

If you have pains you should look after them quickly. Pain shows something is wrong. The sharper the pain the more danger there is in delay. There are thousands of women today who are bearing awful pain almost continually, rather than tell a physician about the shooting pains in their lower abdomen, about the agony of falling of the womb and the distress of leucorrhœa. They let the months pass and their trouble becomes harder to cure and more distressing. But modest women can secure exemption from the embarrassment of a private examination. When pain tells you of danger you can cure yourself by the use of

WINE OF CARDUI

You can be cured without distressing publicity—in the privacy of your home. With these facts before you there is no reason for the delay which is increasing your misery and wasting the days of your life. Why not stop the pain today?

Belen, Mex., March 9, 1900.

I have used one bottle of Wine of Cardui and one package of Thedford's Black-Draught. Before I began to take your medicines I had pains in my back, hips, lower bowels and my arms. Sometimes I thought I would go blind. My head ached and I was so weak I could hardly walk across the floor. Now I can only feel a little of the pain in my side and I am going to use your medicines until I get cured, for I believe they will certainly cure me. I have been married twelve years and am the mother of seven children. I thank you for your wonderful medicine and what it has done for me.
MATILDA SMITH.

For advice and literature address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

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The New FOR-MAL-DE-HYDE Treatment.

Never before was there a cure for lung troubles which destroyed the cause. Weak Lungs don't grow strong by themselves. You must heal them and rid them of all disease breeding germs.

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The guaranteed Cure for Catarrh, Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, Sold on 30 days trial on an absolute guarantee, 1

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR MAYOR.

Editor Sentinel: Please announce my name as candidate for mayor, subject to decision of the democratic convention.

HENRY C. BEMGHOFF.

FOR CITY CLERK.

Editor Sentinel: Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic convention or primary.

HENRY B. MONNING.

Editor Sentinel:—You will please announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination for the office of city clerk, subject to the decision of the city democratic nominating convention or primary.

AUGUST M. SCHMIDT.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the democratic nomination for city clerk, subject to the decision of the convention. CHARLES W. DITTOE.

FOR COUNCILMEN.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Tenth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election. JOHN ZELT.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the democratic nomination for councilman to represent the First ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary. G. R. HENCH.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my candidacy for the position of councilman to represent the Third ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward, as expressed at the primary.

W. A. ("BURT") ROSS.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce me as a candidate for councilman for the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters at the primary. JOSEPH ZORBUCH.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election. W. C. BAADE.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for renomination for councilman for the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward as expressed at the primary.

PETER J. SCHEID.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the democratic nomination for councilman to represent the Third ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary.

PHILIP J. SINGLETON.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the nomination for councilman from the Fourth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward as expressed at the primary.

JOHN J. BAUER.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the ward, as expressed at the primary.

JOHN J. O'RYAN.

STEAM EQUIPMENT

BASS COMPANY SECURES IMPORTANT CONTRACT.

POWER FOR ROLLING MILLS

THREE CORLISS ENGINES AND EIGHT BIG BOILERS.

TRAINS IN SNOW DRIFTS

NORTH END OF RAPIDS ROAD TIED UP.

The Bass Foundry and Machine company has been awarded the contract to equip with steam power machinery large new rolling mills at Terre Haute, Ind., the owners of the proposed plant being the Highland Iron and Steel company. The power equipment will consist of three Bass improved Corliss rolling mill engines, 26x30, 32x48 and 30x60-inch cylinders respectively; eight boilers, four of 125-horse power, two 200-horse power and two 225-horse power, and all the fixtures and trimmings necessary to an extensive and complete steam plant. The boilers will be of the Wood water tube pattern, the patents of which were recently purchased by Mr. Bass. Water tube boilers are growing into popularity with manufacturers and owners of steam plants, because they make a powerful plant possible in a space entirely too small for a boiler plant of the desired capacity of the old tubular pattern. The Bass boiler shops now have under construction eight water tube boilers of 250-horse power each, besides numerous orders for tubular boilers and steel tanks. The sale of the boilers and engines to the Highland Iron and Steel company was made by George T. Ladd, the company's traveling salesman, who has just returned from Terre Haute.

NEW SMOKE CONSUMER.

Indianapolis Journal: "J. J. Miller, of the Pennsylvania lines, has invented a new device to solve the smoke and cinder problem of smokestacks of locomotives. It consists of a pipe connection with the smokestack which runs back over the entire passenger train, the sections being connected on the same principle as the air brake. The average diameter of the smokestack of an engine is fourteen inches, the pipe being of the same diameter. The smoke is passed over the entire train and has an escape on both sides of the rear coach at the bottom. In the smokestack there is a vent which is to admit a sufficient amount of air, all in complete control of the engineer. The invention is to serve as a spark arrester, smoke consumer and a distributer of cinders along the roadbed. The device is simple and has already received the consideration of a number of railroad officials."

HABECKER RESIGNS.

Charles W. Habecker, the painter, has resigned his position at the Pittsburg shops and will enter the employ of J. A. Spreisen, of Fairfield avenue, as a wagon and carriage painter. Mr. Habecker has been employed as an engine painter at the Pittsburg shops for the past eight years and is an expert in that line of work.

TRAINS SNOWBOUND.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 20.—All trains on the Grand Rapids and Indiana, Pere Marquette and Michigan Central railroads north of Cadillac to the straights of Mackinaw, are again at a complete standstill. The sleet storm and heavy wind which prevailed in that vicinity yesterday and last night not only blocked all the wheels by drifting the snow and freezing it, but severed all communication as well, the weight of the ice which formed on the telegraph wires breaking them in a number of places. The last news the Grand Rapids and Indiana had from the north was that one passenger train was stalled directly in front of the Mancelona station and that three engines were unable to move it. Soon after this the last wire went down and the general officers here have no knowledge of any of their trains, though they are many hours past due. The officials say the tie-up is the worst of the winter.

CELRO

A REVELATION

FOR CHILDREN

Nothing, that comes in a bottle, is more important for children than Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil. And "important" means that it keeps them in even health, on the highest plane of physical life.

"Do they live on it then?"

No; they don't touch it, except when they need it.

"When do they need it?"

Whenever they show, in whatever way, the least disturbance of even balance of health, it is not for acute diseases, with some exceptions; it is for a slight falling off from first-rate condition.

It is to be used as a food, whenever their usual food does not quite answer the purpose of food.

W. Nicoll was a Fidelity, if you like.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl street, New York.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

E. T. Campbell, the elevator man at the electric works, is sick again.

C. W. Monahan is the name of a new brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

Frank E. Lininger, a Pennsylvania conducter, is off duty on account of sickness.

Passenger Engineer T. Quinn, of the Pitteburg, is off duty on account of sickness.

Nickel Plate Fireman J. Godfrey, who was sick a week, reported for work yesterday.

Today the large crane was erected at the new steam hammer in the Wabash blacksmith shop.

John Bear, formerly of the Olds wagon works, took a position in the Wabash boiler shops this morning.

Maurice Archibald, an armature winder, has gone to Vincennes, Ind., to repair some electric light machinery.

Peter Walsh, of the Pittsburg boiler shop, has gone to Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the funeral of a relative.

David Roche, who has been sick about a month, was able to take his place in the Wabash boiler shop this morning.

J. H. Symington, superintendent of motive power on the Atlantic Coast line, will retire from that position on April 1.

Engineer James Arehart has been assigned to yard duty and is now at the throttle of engine 58 in the Nickel Plate yards.

Master Mechanic G. S. McKee returned at noon today, after a trip over the Detroit and the Buffalo divisions of the Wabash road.

Ed Robertson, who has charge of the shipping work at the Wabash shops, is sick and those duties are being performed by Ed Ehinger.

Passenger Engineer John Bechtol, of the Pittsburg, has taken a lay off of two weeks for the purpose of attending to some private matters.

Conductor T. H. Seaney and Brakemen J. H. Kepler and J. C. Stewart, who were on the sick list, have resumed their duties on the Nickel Plate.

William F. Kramer, molder at the Bass car wheel foundry, is having a handsome porch erected at the front and side of his residence, No. 350 East Wayne street.

A number of United States soldiers, en route from the Philippines to their homes in New York, passed through the city yesterday afternoon over the Nickel Plate.

August C. Roepke, G. F. Kilfoy and Alva A. Sullivan have taken positions in the Pittsburg roundhouse. Mr. Roepke is a machinist and formerly worked at the Fort Wayne electric works.

J. W. Kinnan has been regularly assigned to the position of watchman at the roundhouse entrance to the Pittsburg shops, vice Cornelius Sweeny, deceased. Mr. Kinnan was employed as a caller of train crews for awhile.

C. M. C. Casterline, F. Galland, W. Royhans, C. W. Schermeyer, J. Bossler, L. Knobe, John F. Szink, Henry Beckness, A. Burchard, C. Doehrman and J. Palmer, of the Pittsburg shops, are off duty on account of sickness.

Samuel Wass, jr., of the Rhinesmith & Simonson factory, is sick.

F. B. Lindemuth, who was sick, reported for work in the Pittsburg roundhouse this morning.

William Altekruse, stair builder at the Rhinesmith & Simonson factory, is off duty on account of sickness.

Master Mechanic M. Dunn, of the Dennison shops of the Pennsylvania company, is in the city today on railway business.

Purchasing Agent Frank Brown, of the Pennsylvania company, went to Pittsburg this morning on business for the company.

C. M. Laughlin, who had a finger hurt, and L. J. Miller, who was sick, reported for work at the Pittsburg boiler shop this morning.

Contractor William Rochel this morning commenced work upon a fine house to be erected on East Lewis street for Dick Rodenbeck.

W. S. Cooper, general foreman of the Wabash shops at Springfield, Ill., is in the city to attend the funeral of his mother, whose death occurred Monday.

Conducter H. B. McCardel and Barkeman A. O. Ward, of the Pittsburg, are still unable to take their places in the train service on account of sickness.

Thomas Cavanaugh fell and injured one of his legs yesterday and is unable to work on account of the accident. He is a blacksmith at the Wabash shops.

Charles Schieck and J. White have resigned their positions in the Pittsburg boiler shop and will immediately take up their trade, that of decorative gardening.

William Vogely, who had an ankle sprained three weeks ago, and Henry Coopman, who has been sick a few days, resumed work at the Wabash boiler shop this morning.

The third section of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will serve supper on Saturday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock at No. 140 Calhoun street.

The Pennsylvania expended in 1900 for improvements to roadbed and equipment $125,750,918, against $124,110,563 in 1899 and against $122,371,309 in 1898.

B. F. Franklin has retired from the office of general superintendent of the Clover Leaf road to assume other duties on that line. B. R. Stephens has been appointed general superintendent.

P. J. Singleton, machinist, is absent from his work in the Pittsburg shops today on account of the illness of his wife. W. Vichon, of the same shop, is also absent on account of sickness in his family.

George Hannan resumed his place in the factory of Rhinesmith & Simonson this morning. He was sick three or four days. William Russman, fireman at the factory, also reported for duty after a sickness.

John Ziekgraf, of the Nickel Plate, is in receipt of a letter from his brother, Peter Louis Zeikgraf, who is now a soldier in the Philippines. The writer of the letter was for four years employed in the Bass foundry.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Taylor today moved into a cozy house on East DeWald street, near Calhoun. They recently came here from Danville, Ill. Mr. Taylor is the telegraph operator in Master Mechanic McKee's office, at the Wabash.

Supt. C. S. Sims, of the Chicago terminal division of the Pennsylvania lines, passed through the city yesterday en route to Pittsburg. Several of his Fort Wayne friends met him at the depot and offered congratulations.

All of the iron girders for the addition to the electric works are in their place and the men are now engaged in riveting them. The carpenters have resumed work upon the building and are now putting down some of the floors.

Goshen News: "After the Wabash railway wreck memento seekers allowed their sentimentalities to get away with their better judgment and about all the silverware, plates and everything portable about the dining car was carried off. The company sent a detective on the field last week and he succeeded in recovering many of the articles among people at Millersburg and Berton."

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stapleford, who were here visiting his father, C. E. Stapleford, Nickel Plate car inspector foreman, have returned to their home in Cleveland. A. E. Stapleford is connected with the general freight office of the Nickel Plate.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Berger are today moving from Woodlawn avenue to Baker street, into a very cozy and convenient house. Mr. Berger, who is a Pittsburg engineer, is taking a lay off to supervise the work of transferring his household goods.

The Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie Railroad company has decided to build new and large shops at Greenville, work to commence at once. Citizens of that place have donated a large tract of land and a money bonus to secure the shops.

F. M. Janey, E. L. Tenney, E. A. Jorrod, L. M. Kyler, D. Bakrell and C. M. Semers, Pennsylvania employes, have been promoted from firemen to engineers. Road Foreman C. R. Colmey served notice upon them to that effect yesterday.

The wrestpin on the big engine at the electric works broke shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday and the factory was compelled to suspend all machine work until this morning. Machinists were engaged until 3 o'clock this morning in making the repairs to the engine.

The employes of the electric works received their semi-monthly wages today. Owing to the vastly increased number of men employed at these works pay day there is quite an important event to business men of Fort Wayne, as it means increased trade and lots of money for them.

John Nelson, passenger conductor on the Big Four's Beedline division, has just completed his forty-first year in service on the line between Indianapolis and Cleveland, the last thirty years as a conductor. He was employed first on the road in running one of the construction trains.

Marvin A. Miller, operator at the Wabash office, fell down the cellar steps at 45 Grand street yesterday and cut a gash in one of his arms which required eight stitches to close. Notwithstanding the severity of the injury, Mr. Miller is able to continue at his duties in the telegraph office.

The Kentucky Central has been completed to a connection with the Illinois Central, to which road it will hereafter be an important feeder. The new line is but twenty miles long, but runs through one of the best sections of Kentucky. On this short connection there are five coal mines, eight tobacco factories and fourteen saw mills.

MUNYON'S COLD CURE

Nearly everybody seems to be taking Prof. Munyon's Cold Cure whenever a cold appears. It relieves the head, nose, throat and lungs so quickly that a cold need no longer be a governor of a trip, a hinderer of pleasure or a worrier. Avoid the Cold Cure in like a life insurance policy, but use it as one of the remedies in your home. Medical advice and Guide to Health free. At every New York and Philadelphia MUNYON'S INHALER CURES CATARRH.

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Is a perfect metal polish. It is odorless and will not daub the hands or woodwork.

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For Infants and Children

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

FISH WERE SUFFOCATED.

The warm weather of the past few days broke up the ice on Reservoir lake and during the week boys have picked up dead fish aggregating hundreds of pounds in weight along the banks. About five years ago the lake was stocked with fish of various kinds and every year great numbers of them have been suffocated in the mud during the winter months when the ice freezes to the bottom. Owing to the shallowness of the body of water, which averages about a foot in depth, the fish have little chance to survive a severe winter and the cold snap of February must have exterminated nearly all of them. Tuesday a man took out nearly two hundred pounds of fish, some of them two pounds in weight, and many of them were bass and pickerel.

ROYAL PARTY AT GIBRALTAR.

Gibraltar, March 20.—The steamer Ophir, with the duke and duchess of Cornwall and York on board, entered the harbor about 9 o'clock. All the ships in port had previously been dressed, and the royal yacht approached through the fleet, fully manned and with guards of honor and bands paraded amidst salvos of guns, the firing of a royal salute and the strains of the national anthem. The Ophir entered inside the Mole, and shortly afterwards the governor general, Sir Robert Biddulph, and the admiralty officially visited the ship. The duke and duchess, with their suites, will land at noon. Decorations at the landing stage and along the streets are universal, and large crowds have gathered.

Grain Kernels are dainty, delicious, economical and healthful; once tried always used.

CLEAR COMPLEXION SOFT WHITE HANDS LUXURIANT HAIR PRODUCED BY CUTICURA SOAP.

MILLIONS OF WOMEN USE CUTICURA SOAP, assisted by CUTICURA OINTMENT, for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and healing red, rough, and sore hands, for baby rashes, itchings, and chafings, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery, as balm for anhoying irritations, or inflammations, and excoriations, or too free or offensive perspiration, in washes for ulcerative weaknesses, and for many sanative and antiseptic purposes which suggest themselves to women, especially mothers. No other toilet soaps are to be compared with it for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands. No other foreign or domestic toilet soap is to be compared with it for all these purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. This is emphatically THE SOAP AT LEAST PRICE, viz., 25c., the great skin and complexion soap, the best toilet and baby soap in the World. Sold throughout the world.

ONCE AGAIN....

AT THE

Wayne Dry Goods Co.

....NOW COMES A....

BIG BLACK SILK CONSIGNMENT SALE

We have not, as yet, seen this stock of Silks that has been sent us, but from our knowledge of the house, we can say, there is no doubt, as to this proving as remarkable a sale for the slaughtering of all prices in Black Silks, as the former sales of fancy or colored Silks were in that line.

The following letter explains itself:

March 13th, 1901.

Wayne Dry Goods Co.,
Fort Wayne, Ind.;

Gentlemen: The great success you have had in disposing of the lot of Fancy Silks sent you has decided us in shipping you a lot of Black Silks.

The consignment consists of 100 pieces and represents nearly every weave made.

We believe if you put them on sale at the prices we have marked them, you can dispose of all of them in a few days. You are at liberty, however if you so desire, to return unsold stock to us at the end of ten days.

Yours Very Truly.

We are informed that this stock represents values from $1.00 to $1.50, and the prices made are 69c, 79c, and 89c.

This Great Sale of BLACK SILKS ONLY, Will Open Wednesday Morning, March 20th.

Wayne Dry Goods CO.,

96 Calhoun Street.

LADIES.

G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry street, has a fine line of ladies' cloths for spring suits and jackets. He makes garments to order at lowest prices. 27-tf

Prof. Henry, Clairvoyant, tells past and future, gives information, lost money or friends. Please call at No. 19 West Jefferson. Office, 8 a. m. to 12 m., and 1 to 8 p. m. 18-6t

Will Cumback, jr., of Indianapolis, is at the New Aveline.

The New Shirts For Spring

Are ready. Come and view the the rich novelties. The most catchy patterns you have ever beheld. Immense line at 50c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00. We have a complete line of both Manhattan and Star Shirts at $1.50 and $2.00. 50 dozen new Neckties just received from Cutter & Crossette. You know we have promised you a new line to select from each week. We lead in Neckwear, Shirts and Hats.

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The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1901.

OUR TELEPHONES

Business Office..... 173
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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, March 20.—Forecast for Indiana—Threatening and much colder tonight, with snow flurries in north portion; Thursday, fair; high westerly winds.

LOCAL LINES.

Miss Birdie Scherer leaves this evening for Wallaceburg, Canada.

Al Hatteraley this morning broke ground for the erection of his new house at the corner of Berry and Lafayette streets.

Miss Blanche Knase entertained a number of her friends at her home Monday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

The Ladies' Aid society of Calvary U. B. church will be entertained at tea tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Frank Optaz, of 141 East DeWald street.

Mrs. August Kutsch, of 295 East Creighton avenue, assisted by Mrs. B. G. Mains and Miss Zelma Kutsch, delightfully entertained the ladies of the T. J. W. club yesterday afternoon. The home was prettily decorated with carnations and ferns, and an elegant three-course luncheon was served.

FRESH SHIPMENT CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS.

California Peaches, halves, 10c lb.
California Pears, halves, 12c lb.
[illegible] Apricots, 12½c lb.
[illegible] Nectarines, 12c lb.
[illegible] Plums, 12c lb.
[illegible] Prunes, small, 5c lb.
[illegible] Prunes, large, 9c and 12½c lb.
[illegible] Prunes, 10c lb.
[illegible] Raisins, 8c lb.
[illegible] Raisins, 10c lb.
Choice Blackberries, 10c lb.
New Pack Cherries, 23c lb.
Evaporated Raspberries, 25c lb.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Dr. W. B. Holden, connected with the Battle Creek Sanitarium, will lecture on the "Gospel of Health" March 23 and 24; evening; in Gospel Tabernacle, corner Holman and Clinton streets. Will give free examinations to patients Sunday at 34 West Washington street.

BEST CALIFORNIA CANNED FRUITS.

California Egg Plums, 16c can.
California Green Gages, 16c can.
California Apricots, 16c can.
California Nectarines, 16c can.
California Pears, 17c can.
California Lemon Cling Peaches, 17c can.
California Yellow Crawford Peaches, 18c can.
California White Cherries, 20c can.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

J. A. Boyd, of Warsaw, is in the city.

Lou Wehmeyer, of Kendallville, is in the city.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mueller, of 244 Smith street—a daughter.

Mrs. A. M. VanMeter has returned from a visit with friends at Latty, Ohio.

Rev. Somerville Light, of Bluffton, was in town today, a guest at the Wayne.

J. N. Boyle, a prominent Butler real estate man, is in the city on a business trip.

There will be an important business meeting of the Musicians' union on Sunday afternoon.

The first annual ball of the X. Y. Z. club will be held Friday evening at the Mulqueen Dancing academy.

Willis Hatteraley is at Willvale, in the Kankakee swamp, ostensibly slaughtering ducks in large quantities.

The condition of P. L. Potter, the real estate agent, is gradually growing weaker and he cannot survive long.

Harry, the four-year-old son of John Blunker, of Pontiac street, is critically ill, the result of severe hmorrhages of the nose.

Attorney G. F. Felts has returned from Warsaw, where he has been engaged for some time in a damage suit from Columbia City.

Mrs. Blackburn, of 51 East DeWald street, will entertain the ladies of Simpson M. E. church tomorrow afternoon and evening at tea.

The ladies of Plymouth Congregational church will serve dinner from 11 to 1 o'clock tomorrow. An excellent menu will be prepared.

The general committee of the trades and labor fair will meet this evening at the rooms of the Associated Charities in the city hall.

The engagement of Miss Hattie Daniel, of Columbia City, and C. A. Mier, of Ligonier, is announced. Miss Daniel is a niece of Mrs. L. and Mrs. S. Freiburger, of this city.

W. C. McCowan, of New York, is in the city on a business trip, and is a guest at the New Anthine. Mr. McCowan was formerly a Fort Wayne man, and was for some years connected with the Lumbard insurance agency. He is now a traveling salesman.

The secretary of the Visiting Nurse league acknowledges the following donations: "A friend," $20; Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent society, $10; Women's Reading club, $5. The annual meeting of the league will be held in the council chamber some evening next week.

Mrs. Homer Smith, of West Third street, was given a delightful surprise by a party of friends last evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. Progressive pedro was the game of the evening and prizes were won by Miss Carrie Haber and Miss Nettie Racine. The booby was awarded to Mrs. Hattie Wells.

The indications are that the coming meeting of the alumni association of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will be the most largely attended in years. The secretary, Dr. C. E. Barnett, is in daily receipt of many acceptances of invitations for the event, which is held on the day of the college commencement.

The G. E. E. D. club gave its annual reception last evening, about thirty couples being in attendance. The young people were chaperoned by Mesdames Werth, Doerman, Clark and Hall, and the out-of-town guests were the Misses Brown and Smythe, of New Haven, and Gour, of Albion, and Charles Benson, of Springfield, Ill.

Dinner served tomorrow eleven to one o'clock at Plymouth Church, corner Jefferson and Harrison streets.

MEATS, DRIED FRUITS.

Best Cuts Shoulder Roasts, 8c lb.
Best Cuts Rib Roasts, 12c lb.
Best Boiling Beef, 6-7c lb.
Pork Chops or Sausage, 9c lb.
Sweet Sugar Cured Hams, 11c lb.
Sugar Cured Bacon, 12½c lb.
Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, 8c lb.
Fancy Bright Cal. Peaches, 10c lb.
Fancy Cal. Pears, halves, 10c lb.
Large Santa Clara Prunes, 10c lb.
Medium Cal. Prunes, 7c lb.
Cal. Evaporated Apricots, 10c lb.
New Sun Dried Apples, 6c lb.
Best Cal. Muscatel Raisins, 8c lb.

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HENRY G. SCHULTE DEAD.

A telegram to Robert Klaehn this morning announced the death of his brother-in-law, Henry G. Schulte, which occurred today at his home at Englewood, Ill. The news was a profound shock, as Fort Wayne relatives were not advised of Mr. Schulte's illness. The deceased formerly attended Concordia college in this city, and has many acquaintances in Fort Wayne. He was married to Miss Emily Klaehn in 1883. Mr. Schulte was forty-one years of age, and the widow and four sons survive. He was a lawyer by profession, prominent in Chicago politics, and had held the position of police magistrate and justice of the peace in Englewood. Mr. Klaehn will go to Chicago tonight.

NEW COMPANY STARTS.

Workmen have begun breaking ground along the river at the foot of Harrison street for a new carpet cleaning establishment to be erected there, occupying a building 28x62 feet in size. It is to be known as the Wayne Pneumatic Carpet Cleaning company, and the proprietors are to be G. A. Koehlinger and Fred Stickley. The latter gentleman has for some years been connected with the Zimmer company. Machinery for the new concern is already on the way, and it is expected that the company will be doing business by April 1. Mr. Koehlinger says the methods to be used are entirely new, and that the establishment will be one of the most complete in the state.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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William S. Stephens and Anitta E. Powell.

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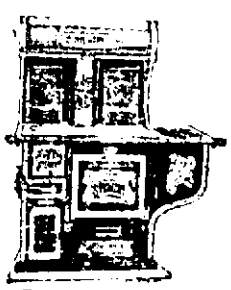

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